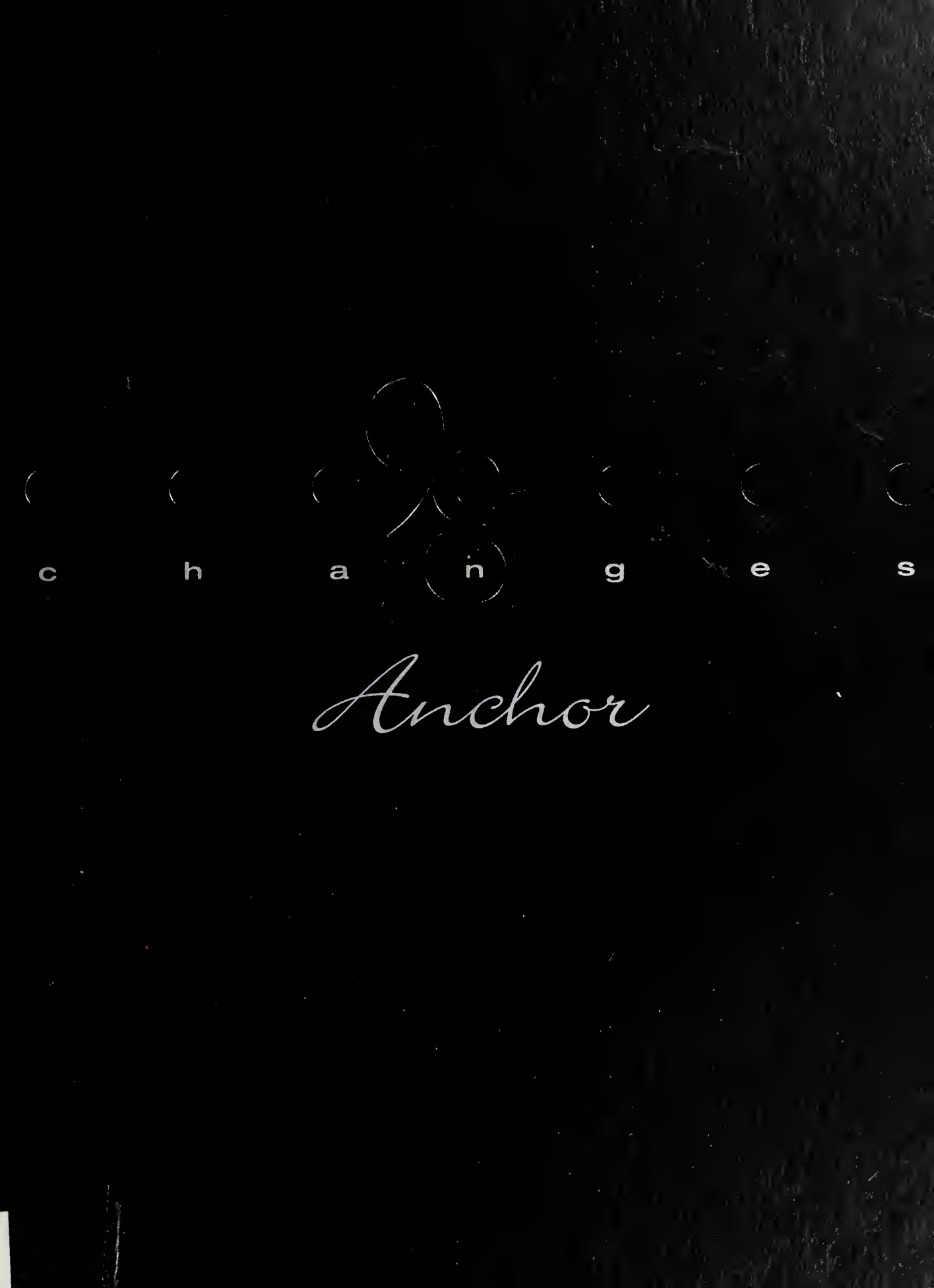
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Message To The Class Of 1998 -

Although I write this letter as the leaves change color in October, I realize that you will not read it until the trees are once again green in June. I also make these comments as I enter my second year as your principal while many of you are completing twelve years in the school system.

I truly hope that although you are leaving MHS and beginning a new phase in your life, you will keep with you many positive thoughts about your high school career. In the short time that I known you, I have been impressed with your many accomplishments. I trust this book will serve you and the whole community as a permanent reminder of these achievements and all of your school activities. You should realize that a yearbook is really the only lasting record of what has happened in a school each year. It is also your own personal history book and should be something you will cherish and review for many years to come.

As principal, I also hope that the members of the faculty have left lasting and positive impressions upon you and have challenged you as you have matured. I believe the words of Henry Adams, who wrote, "A teacher affects eternity. He or she never knows where his or her influence ends." I also ask you to remember the words I spoke to the school on opening day regarding the three types of people in the world: Those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who ask 'What Happened?' I hope that as you begin a new part of your life, you will be a person who always makes things happened.

Read your book with pride, emotion and fond memories. I look forward to reading it with you at graduation and re-reading it at your reunions.

Sincerely,

Henry Lukas
Principal.

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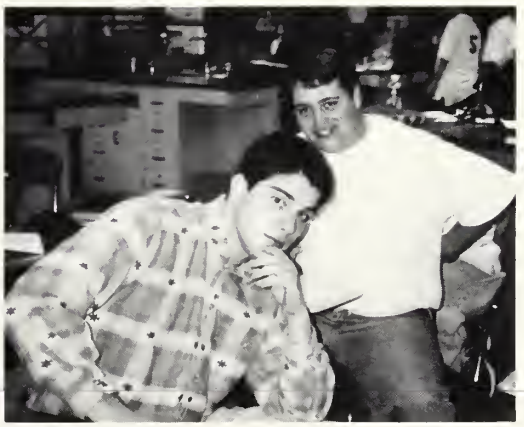
Dedicated To Mrs. M'Lena Gandolfi

Mrs. M'Lena Gandolfi

The 1998 Anchor is lovingly dedicated to Mrs. M'Lena Gandolfi. Mrs. Gandolfi has been with our class since the beginning. She taught us in gym class at Memorial School, and followed us over the bridge and became our class advisor. She has stuck with us through good and bad, and that is what we appreciate so much. She never complains about the unending dirty work she must do, but just digs right in and gets to work. Her work ethic and love for our class is undying.

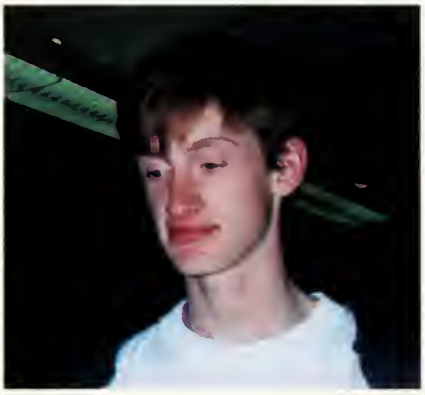
Mrs. Gandolfi has taught us to not only pursue our learning in the classroom, but outside the classroom as well. On the playing fields, or on the stage, she always has a voice of encouragement. Mrs. Gandolfi is many things to the Class of '98; an advisor, a coach, a teacher, a friend, and even a mother.

We would like to thank Mrs. M'Lena Gandolfi for all her hard work and dedication to the Class of 1998. You have seen our class through the many changes and stages we have been through. Your efforts and love have not gone unnoticed or unappreciated. Thank you Mrs. Gandolfi, you have impacted our lives in many ways.



Good Old Days . . .

BRANDON BRIAN FORRESTER
1987
1988



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Years Of Innocence . . .

Christine Healy

Julia Del Valle

Ryan McGovern

Aleesha Nunley

Ian Pomerville

Brandon Gandolfi

Sarah Meekin

Ali Demarkis

Andrea Pavles

Caitlin Melia

James Bliss

Clifford Baker

Kaitlyn Logue

Carley Cook

Iwona Grzybowska

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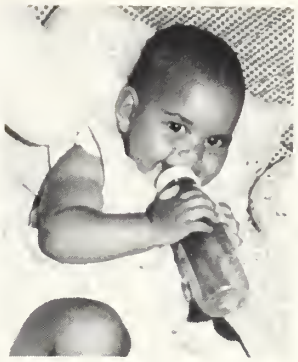
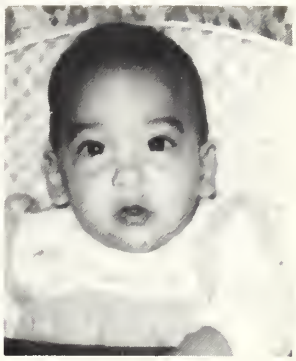
Bill VanFaasen

Keri Gavin



Emma McLin-Usovicz



Pamela Tracey

Evan Sucharski

Lee McLaughlin

Jay Brancaleone

Kimberly Ercolani

Adriana Raudzens

Shawna Waitt

Joseph Fine

David Hartley

Jennifer Zimmermann

Breanne Quinn

Heather Jones

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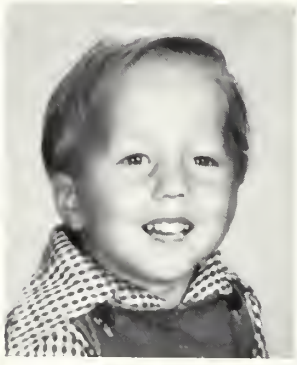


Matt Thompson

Benjamin Cheney-Lynch

Seth Harvey

William Wilson

Alexandra Michael

Jackie O'Neill

Jill Sullivan

Mark Guinane

Tennyson Mentus

Gregory Jones

Alexis Wermuth

Andrew Kershaw

Collin MacKenzie

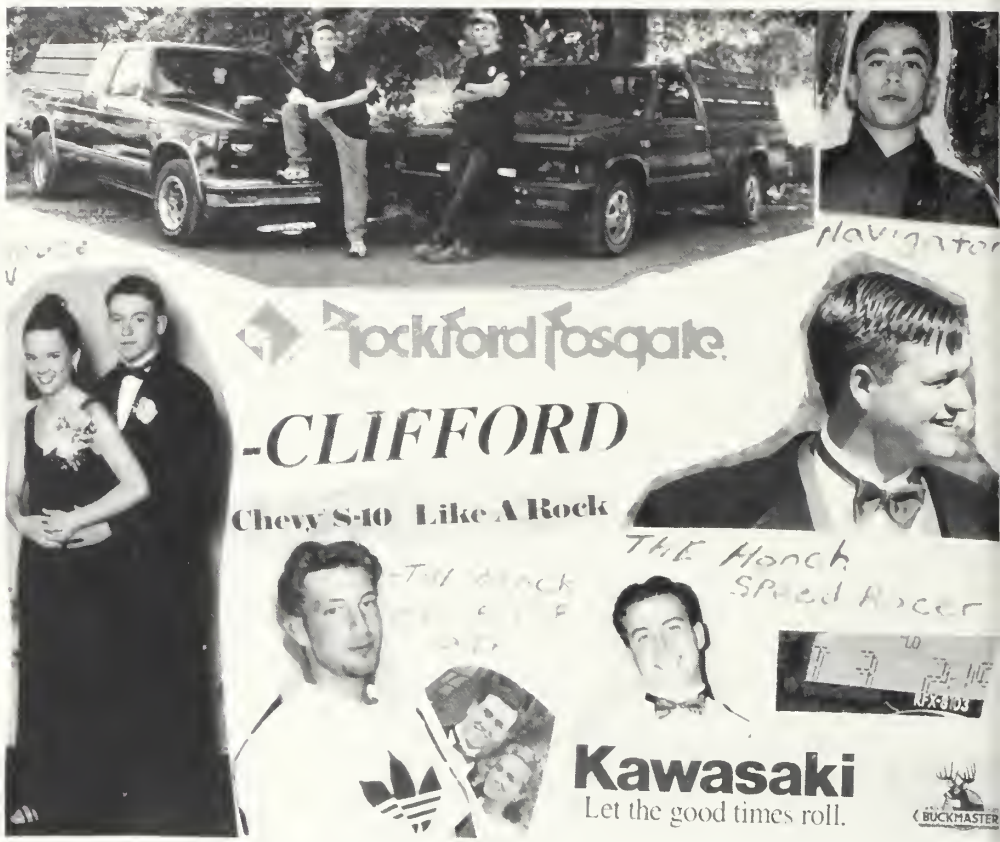
Carolyn DeSimone

REMEMBER (WHEN).....

-THE ENTIRE SENIOR CLASS TOOK OUT MR. ANANIAN IN "UNHOLY ALLIANCE"
-SENIORS ACTUALLY HAD PRIVILEGES
-STEVE NEARLY LOST HIS LIFE ON THE ZIP-LINE
-JILL WORE GAP CLOTHES
-CARLEY HAD A PERM
-STEFANIE L. TOOK DAILY TRIPS TO FIRST AID
-DEMONS TOOK OVER ALEX, "SEETHHH, DONN'T DOOOO ITTT"
-PEOPLE WHO THOUGHT THEY WERE COOL, BUT WEREN'T, JOINED THE "PLAYAZ CLUB"
-SENIORS HAD PARKING SPOTS
-WE DISSECTED THE LITTLE BABY FETAL PIGS WITH MR. RYAN
-BRETT HAD A BOWL CUT
-A FEW FIELD HOCKEY MEMBERS PAID ROCKPORT A VISIT TO SHOW THEM "SPIRIT"
-MHS DECA LOST;.....NEITHER DOES ANYONE ELSE
-SPIN THE BOTTLE WAS A REGULAR PASTIME
-ANOTHER REALLY COOL CLUB, "THE POSSE"
-COLLEEN GOT SAND IN HER EYE
-ANDREA SET HER AP TEST BOOKLET ON FIRE IN DOC'S CLASS IN APPRECIATION TO HIM
-A'S HAIR WAS FIRE ENGINE RED
-IWONA HAD HER INFAMOUS 16TH BIRTHDAY
-ALL HELL BROKE LOSE AT THE MICKEY D'S COMING HOME FROM THE CHOCORUA TRIP
-CHICKEN AND ALI GOT "LOST" AT HERON POND
-THE GUY'S SOCCER TEAM HAD A SLIGHT BRAWL WITH GEORGETOWN
-MR. NALLEY SANG "NEW COUNTRY CORNFLAKES..." AND HIS FAMOUS COUCH POTATO CHANT
-THE FOOTBALL TEAM WAS ACTUALLY "BIG"
-MR. AVERILL HAD A FULL HEAD OF HAIR....., OH WAIT, WE WEREN'T BORN YET!
-PEOPLE THOUGHT IT WAS COOL TO WEAR THE SAME OUTFITS
-SALLY'S SWEATSUIT DURING GYM AEROBICS
-THE FIELD HOCKEY TEAM/CHEERLEADERS "INSPIRED" THE GUY'S SOCCER TEAM TO WIN OVER ROCKPORT UNDER THE LIGHTS
-COLLIN BEANED MR. YORK IN THE BACK OF THE NECK WITH A GREEN PEA
-20 QUESTIONS IN MR. ATWATER'S CLASS
-CHRONIC CASES OF POISON IVY
-SETH HAD AN EPIPHANY ABOUT LEE'S DOG SOUL
-THE PENCIL THAT ENDED UP IN CHRISTINE'S NOSE
-MR. GRAY'S CLASS GOT ATTACKED BY BEES!
-THE SMALL PARK WAS THE HAPPENIN' PLACE TO BE
-THE GEL CLUB,.....JUST IN CASE YOU COULDN'T FIGURE IT OUT, STANDS FOR THE GAP, THE EXPRESS, AND THE LIMITED
-CHICKEN CLEVERLY BROUGHT FLORESCENT YELLOW CHEAT SHEETS TO STEINER'S MIDTERM
-COLLEEN SCORED HER ONLY TWO POINTS FOR THE ENTIRE SEASON IN THE OTHER TEAMS BASKET
-WRITING YOUR DEEPEST DARKEST SECRETS ON KERI'S DESK
-WE TOOK A SCHOLARLY TIME OUT OF CLASS TO WATCH THE NINTENDO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
-TONGUE RINGS HAD SHOCK VALUE
-THE WORLD WAS GOING TO END AT 12

Cliff Baker

Nicknames: Hick, Scrott, Ugly. Memorable moments are in summer w/ Kris, Cory, Honcho, Stef, Amanda. Plum Island hunt w/ Dad (geet ones with the white bellies) also deer hunting w/trucks and pat and Ken. Dirt biking way back when. Kris cheating death and destruction KX-60 R I P. Late night d + d runs w/ house. Millis w/ Cory. The tomos enough said. Clam dinners w/ Pud. Paintballing w/ Pokey and Radar. Honcho at masco doing speed racer. Kris with his TA. Cory w/ his hyundai. Happy getting me my first pheasent. Every Nov. during hunting season. w/ uncle Val. Pat and his Roto Rooter. Thanks especially to Mom, Dad for not killing me + Everything else.



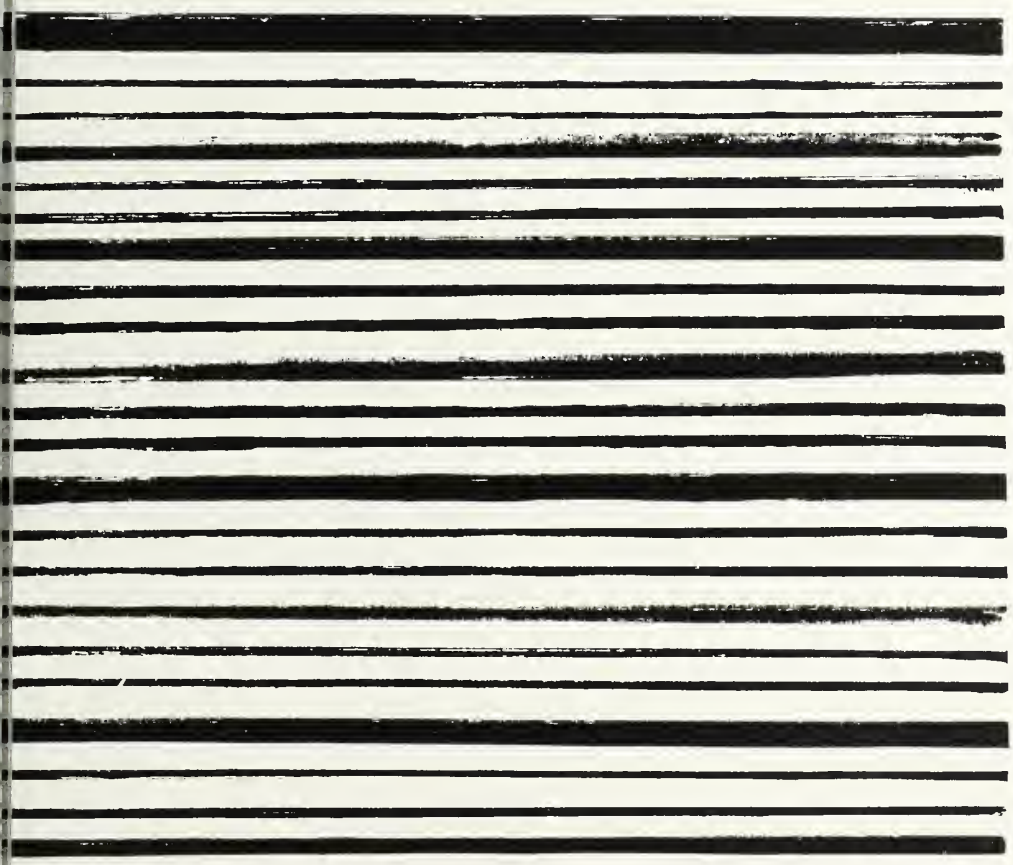
James Bliss

Nicknames: Jim, Jimbo. Fondest Memories: NY City w/ Sita + Karl; Canada w/WW, RE w/TJ, WW, NL, M L B w/TW, Talks w/ NL + DH hardcore choading, SAAB cruzin' w/ Jay. TT's, crutches, Elliott sessions + skating w/CP. Ag. Diner, Dunkin D's + JFK w/ SM, Calf Deca, JB = CP in drag. Fun w/BG, KG, AK, AM. Nightly drives w/WW. All mideast shows w/ KBSM, CP-Aphex twin, Magfields, Versus, Trans Am, Flat Rocks w/ Noah; Bev Cru. TB, IN, SMc, TK, LC, GM, Rockin' out to Donavan + Ritesdfrd w/ Dave, Dix Bball, Band room w/ TJ, Nantucket w/ the Fam, Beck free shows in Bstn w/ CD + gang, Frankie V; Stalling w/ Noah in Salem; Oldies 103.1 43 SM. Thanks to Mom, Dad, Kath, Ed, Kate + Will. Good Luck to the class of 1998.

Emily Alden Bornhofft

Memories: Times w/ CC, KG, CH, KE, SL, SW, KL, JS, HJ, BQ, BVF, SH, AM, AG, New Year's-CC's & KE's, Flatrocks, I "Went" w/ JS, SH, RD, spin the bottle w/KL, AM, "sophmore girls", Anaheim, 1/2 day's (9th), shindigs at SL's, BQ's, GC's, RM's, JR's, EL's, GC's, TJ's Mag Beach (B3), Prom's 95, 96, 97 (AH's), DMB- train ride, Tom Petty w/BQ, JS, "Vermont 10 miles" (UMass), Syracuse w/AG, CH, Elmo, Cinqo de Mayo, 9/30 w/EL, Disco nites, "brutes", Lark, "kisses hun-bun?", grease w/BBF, EBF, Phish w/EB, BB, Rusty, Oh Ren, "word to your mother homeslice". Mom, Dad, Betsy, and Jamie thanks for everything. I Love You guys!

Jay Brancleone



Toothpaste and cheese wars, and one broken lamp at the Holiday Inn; "Sparrow"; grape soda filled shoes; "Cooking" with Andrea-BBQ, the stew, open-flame pits; driving the SAAB with James; Boston adventures with C. Pine; when all is said and done . . . "I am the lizard queen . . . "

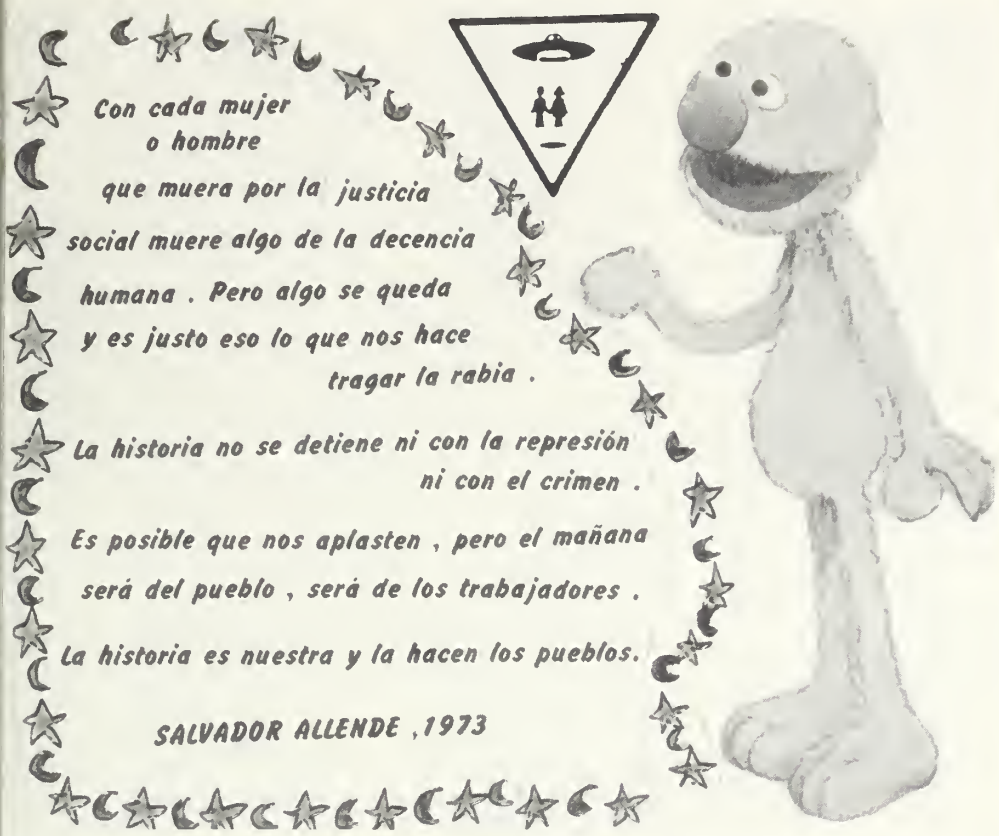
Benjamin Lucas Cheney-Lynch

"I saw the best minds of my generation destroyed by madness, starving, hysterical. I should be allowed to glue my poster. I should be allowed to think." It's been a wild ride these four years and I'm a better person for it. I remember a lot and I have also forgotten a lot. But I have to give a big thank you to anyone and everyone who have helped me along the way. I hope I didn't offend Anyone by my actions, after all, we were all trying to get by. Now It's time to go on to bigger, but not necessarily better things

Carley Anne Cook

Memories: All X's w-friends at MHS. Heron Pd, Proj. Adv, Knb's Vt. getaway, Graduation 95, Late nights Comp/Playz cluhz, Sneekin Out, IG B-Day, Alec's, Stef's-CH on floor, BQ's, GC's, New Years at KE, CC, Skidmore, prom, semi, disco fev. Spinnin the beach! Straw. Cove, Landing, Mag/Singing Beach, Myrtle Beach 96-97, KMart, Fire Drill, Kroger, SARDINES, Old skool w-SW, Christian, Long Beach, SFP W/KG, DMB-HJ on couch, Ker's lunch, SKD, 11:11, Atlanta, Field Hockey, Cali CH, HJ, SW, Sunrise Busses, Accord, Thrpy Grp, 4 Blossom Ln w-GC, LM, 2 CH, DC w-Mom, Thanx Mrs McConnell 4 math help, All X's w-Gregory, Tozier's class, EDDIE, S. River, ME/VT, Thanks 4 being there and being a friend, I love you so much. Mom, Bob, Rob, Dad I love you all very much, you 2 Adam even though u r a pain in the ars

Julia del Valle


Con cada mujer
o hombre
que muera por la justicia
social muere algo de la decencia
humana . Pero algo se queda
y es justo eso lo que nos hace
tragar la rabia .
La historia no se detiene ni con la represión
ni con el crimen .
Es posible que nos aplasten , pero el mañana
será del pueblo , será de los trabajadores .
La historia es nuestra y la hacen los pueblos.
SALVADOR ALLENDE ,1973

[. . .] todos aquellos que se revelan en latinoamerica, desde los jóvenes combattentes de Chiapas (EZLN) hasta los detenidos políticos del Frente Manuel Rodriguez en Chile, son una gran familta que con orgullo va adelante en el camino emprendido por el CHE, porque no nos han dejado otro camino, porque la paz no convive con la explotación, porque la dignidad no la puede decidir el FMI, porque las esperanzas de un continente no las administra el Banco Mundial, porque la sed de justicia no es satisfecha con la caida del falso muro socialista ni con la llegada del nuevo orden internacional [. . .] LUIS SEPULVEDA 24 APRIL 1997

Ali Rose Demarkis

Jackie O , thanks for the good times Muffy and Buffy with Kevie Baby, the Plaza Mayor in Spain, falling in on New Year's, Halloween without a licence, Disco Party '96, little house and breaking the blender, trampoline tricks, loungin' at Wilson's pool, the California Pizza Kitchen, Eugene's company car service, the Fourth, making use of the church, Sunday is movie day Alex, you know I'll miss hitching on the Vineyard, Buffy the Vampire Slayer, Dave's birthday,Xena Warrior Princess, I'm melon, are you two twins? Brittany and Catherine, so happy we stayed friends, tea parties were great, but watch out for watermelon seeds. Kate(Foxy Brown), Joe(poor muffin), Adam(the Chinese waiter), Paul(Christmas in July), Emily(go eat your carrots), Liam(Woodstock), COLDY(that't all I have to say), Josh("Let me jar your sauce "), and MOM, DAD, and MEGAN, I love you all so much and I'm sorry that every day was a struggle Thanks for being there, even when I wasn't Best wishes

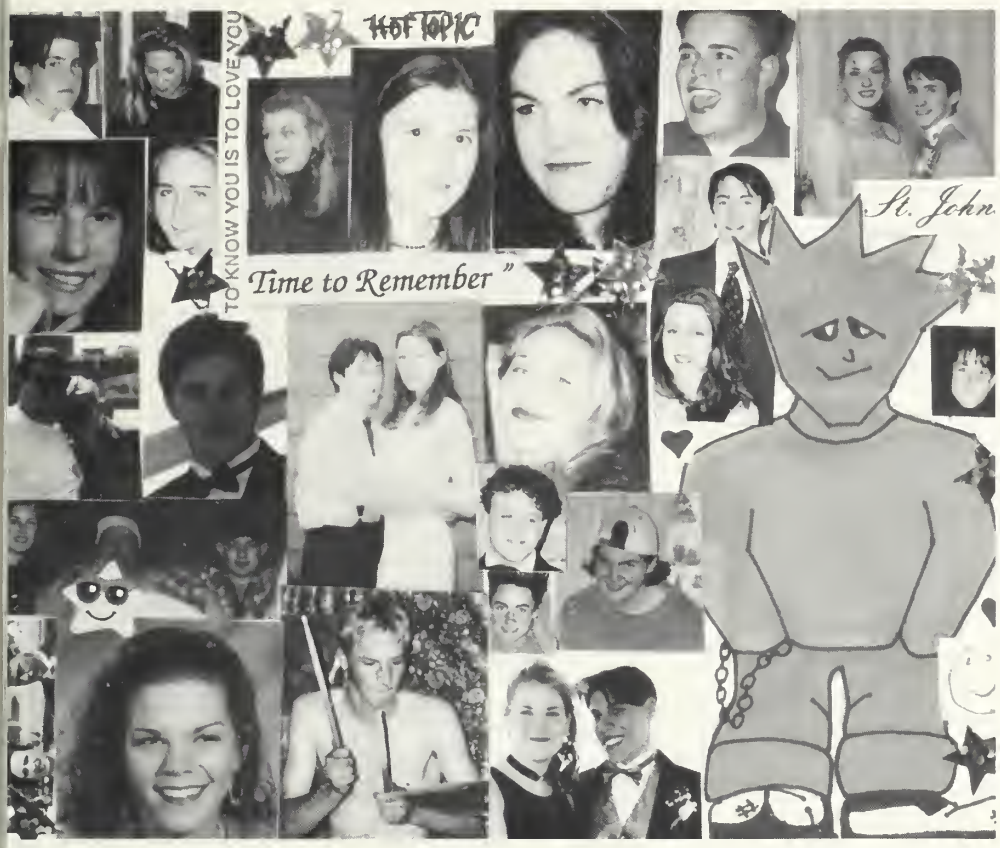
Carolyn Ceceilia De Simone

"Your time has come to shine. All your dreams are on their way. See how they shine." Simon & Garfunkel LIVE w CM, LILITH w MD, Al, CM GROOVES w Al. Dehate trips, Kansas 96, Yale 96' (mangos & captain hook) NICK w CM, Dred Dog @ Hen Hud, BPL w JB & CM, IP @ UMASS. A CAFE O' NUTS w SD. Sunk Truck w JB. BBC w Al. Duxbury w Al, & MD. Jay Peak w Al. Prom 97 w JS. Runels w MH, & KW. Movies w CM & Al. Bowling, Wjammers. FRANCE 97. Wes Civ w IP, JB, & CM. Xmass Shopping w JB. WDC w MD & AT. Halloween 96 w CM, SD, MD, LD, & LB. Class of 98' were out of here! GOOD LUCK TO ALL. Mom, Meghan, & Lauren thanks for everything! I love you all so much. I best he leavin now. Luv ya!!

Colleen Marie Doherty

I will always remember: DECA 97 W/RH CB JB MD HJ KO + CB, Phish Ball W/RD + BQ, Talks W/HJ AK JB KG KL EG + many more, Summer of 97 W/EG Sugs DH NL JB TJ + WW, Free shows in Bost W/Morgan, "Chillin" W/Buns, GC W/AK, Santana W/EG KL + LS, G-Block Study, Listnin' to Jamiroquai W/Eli, Put it in your Mouth W/Aldy, Pondering life W/HJ, Sand in my eye (It was true), Boston W/SA, Stayin' out till 4:00 W/MM, Trading insults W/BG, Rappin' W/SH, G-Love W/MM, 4th of July Toga Party, "3 cheers to the Captain (CC)", "Do it for BIG Poppa (CH)", The Poetry Days, B-Block Art, Playin' Hooky W/MD, The Cliff, Laughing at strange hats W/KG, Dancin' W/EG (Bust a move), singing in the car W/HJ, "Ladies night" W/Aldy + Sugs. Thanx Mom and Dad for all your help. MKD, Patty-D, Mom + Dad, Love ya

Stephanie Kathleen Dussourd



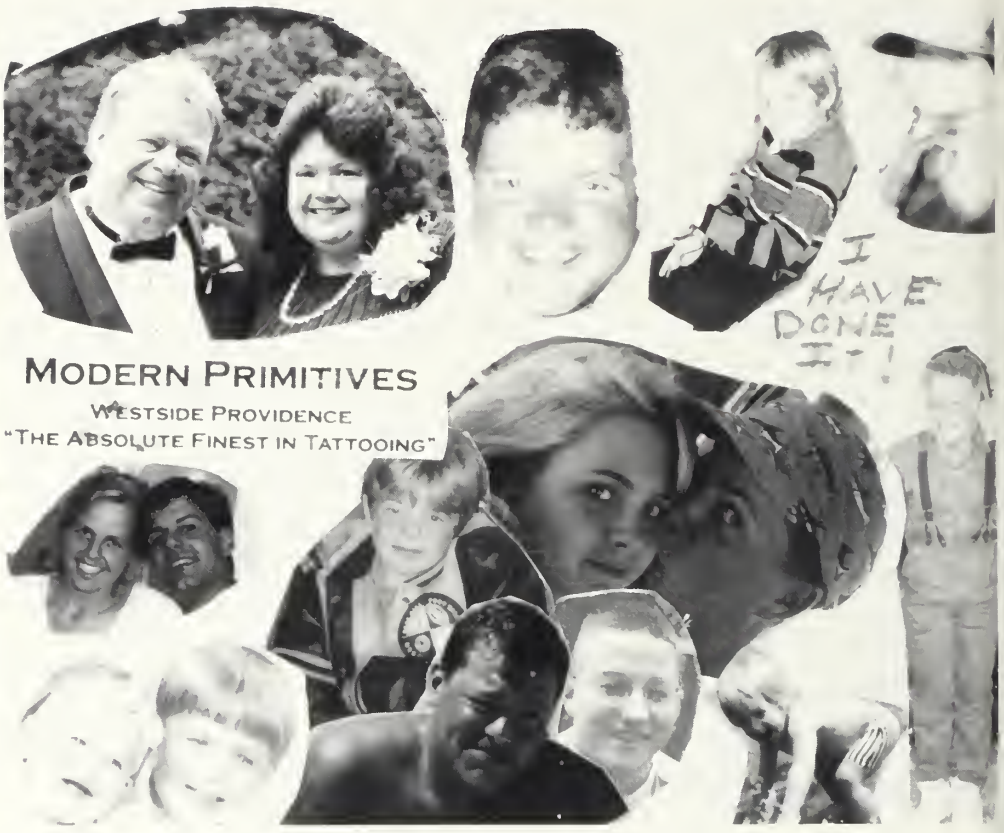
nicknames: Steph, Stephie. pet peeves: the utterly stupid and the unbelievably smart in the world (no i'm not hitter) Memories: 2 write them all down would take a lifetime and 2 choose only a few would be unfair. But each and every one does and will continue to hold a special place in my heart. I wish you all the happiest futures and the greatest times. Thanx mom, dad, hill, kyle, joal and tim for all your patiene and support

Kim Ercolani

All times w/my friends. New Year's 96/97 MB 96/97; YBC w/AK AK thanks for being there! All times w/RM, times w/the swim crew (luv u guys) SL, AK, KG, CH, CC, EB, BQ, AH, thanks for everything I'll miss u guys! AH, GC, JR, CH, JW hang in there. Dad, Mom I appreciate all you've done-I luv u! Karissa thanks I luv u too! Ryan thanks for sticking by me-I'll never forget u-I'll luv u always! Class of 1998-GOOD LUCK in life I'll miss u!

Joseph Jacob Fine

All the times with GG, hangin with MT, DD, CM, and MC; All the laughs in and out of school; The big move RHS to MHS, Hornets FB "94"-"98"; Every thing is a competition with GG; MC Thanks for taking all my lines, Happy 25th "Rudy"; CM concert or what?; All the times with the Bev Boys, Trying my hardest to bring my GPA back from the dead; Mom, Dad, Jen & Jon, Holly & Matt, Matthew & Meredith, AL, AA, UB, Mimi & Big, Nana, Un & Ae, and Suzie I love you all; Final words to MHS "Thanks for believing in my ability to be a good student and a good person", Final words to those who ever doubted me "Leave me your address so when I make my millions I can send a few bucks".



Brandon Gandolfi

Nicknames: Honcho Memories: Playing catch out in the back yard w/ mom. Hunting in heath w/ dad. Hangin @ the pit w/ the Baker bros, Kris, Cory. Halloween '96. Working @ Taormina's w/ Cliff + Josh. Rag fights w/ Josh. Playing sax with Trent + the boys. After school drives w/ Keri + Will. Long talks w/ Kim. Cruisin' w/ Kris in the rice rockets. Riding through town w/ Cliff on the chappy. The first time I ever drove w/ Cliff in the Tank. Long summer nights lounging at the beach w/ everybody. Rides home from band w/ Cory + Pugga. Thanx to Mom + Dad for pushing me so hard through school, my family for supporting most of the difficult decisions I made, and my friends for sticking by me.

Keri Jeanne Gavin

All times with friends-143 guys! eeeh DMB w/ CH! Driving nowhere fast All talks/X's w/ KE, AK, CH, BQ, AH, WW, CC, BVF, HJ, BG, AG (2), EB, SL, CD (2), SH Growin' up w/ AK, BF, AG Prom 97 AM's w/SW Escape w/DM! MB (3 x's) DECA JD (thks KE & CC!) BMG w/WW Secrets.) (u no!) Car wash w/ AH!! THE Pencil w/CH, KE Add sellin' w/ AH Jr hi X's! SFP w/CC! Late nites, NY trip w/CC, KE, CH Coffee w/WW New Yrs (a KE/CC Skiing (TRUCK!) Spinnin' the beach! * HJ w/AK, SW! "I Wanna Play" w/AG & KE Rau-sty-(Nal!) Psych study grp w/WW, JB, AK, BG D study CD car w/SL Small Park All mems always 4-ever w/me All x's w/WW, 143=427 Mom-my angel-Best Friends 4ever Scott, Dad, Holly, thanks 145! Fred, together always K & S 1432-I'll B back! You'll never know how much you guys all mean! I Luv u all-Bye!

Iwona Grzybowska

Nickname: Daanies; The HORDE '94 w/ JS, KL, CD, HJ, Prom '97 w/ Buns; All Nighters w/ JM, SW, KL; Mag Beach + Singing Beach, Myrtle Beach '96 w/ KG, SW, SL, KF, CC, JJ, AL, JM's house; Prov. w/ KL, AN, Sully. BF, RM B-Day '97 SH, JS, KE, KL, BF, LM, BVF. S Groove w/ KL, EB, HAM MS 1st time w/ KL '97. JS & I crackin' up I Love You S.S + I'LL MISS ALL YOU GUYS esp. KL, JS THANKS MOM, DAD, ANNA, MONICA, + JACQUILINE FOR EVERYTHING BERMUDA '97 YEAH!

Mark George Guinane

Motto: Speak softly and carry a big stick. Well, it's 1998 and the world as we know it is slowly crumbling around our ears as the light of the real world penetrates our little shell. We've lived our lives according to the rules of others and now it's time to heat our wings and take flight. I've had a great time and wish everyone the best of luck. Nothing has given me more pleasure then watching you, my friends, changing into the fine men and women I know you are becoming. I think I can safely say that no matter which direction the future may lead, the class of '98 will always have a front row seat. Best wishes to C.B, B. S, E. S, C. M, S. P, and everyone else. Try and stay out of trouble ;-)

Dave Hartley

Memories: T.J.'s Red Jeep, Juicy Gels with J.B. B.G. On the Mic, Camping with N.L., First Impression of A.M., Feliz Navidad with W.W., Astro Ice Cream with T.J., Old Honda

Seth Benjamin Harvey

On a Quest from the soul . . . where would I be w/out Mom's homecooked lovin', Dad's pancakes on a saturday a.m., the morning sun, the show, the festivals, the drives w/ Jill, Eaglehead, quarry freedom, Ipswich R. relaxation, irie meditations, Mag. beach, Va. beach, Luke's house, Joah's arc, campires, mtn. tops, amazing grace, the plattsburg family + reunions & all come together rages rm lm hf & gc: fish on . . . and to the rest under the sun, I know you know who you are paradise waits forget your troubles & dance, always "follow your soul" ever living, ever faithful, ever sure.

Christine Marie Healy

Best Times: DMB w/KGEHHH! New Years 96 + 97 Skidmore, Syracuse, Prom 97, MB 97-Sardines! B Games, late nites, NH w/SW DIP! Disco nights "Coffee Runs" w/ SL Darn Tootin w.BQ, Rusty! July 4 w/CH-my hum! JS-always re-"u r special w/ or w/o" Field hockey 96/97-hts w/ girls, CA w/SW, HJ, CC, Camping w/CH, 3 musketeers 4 blosom ln. Snack Bar w/KG, CH 2-you're mine! OS Cheer w/KM. All long talks + endless drives w/KG, SW, CC, KE, EB, AH, BQ, SL, KM, JM, AG-thank u guys so much! Youre the greatest! Charlie-thanks 4 all the memories honey. I luv u! Mom + Dad-thanks 4 all your luv + support! Luv u guys! Carol + Emily-thanks for putting up w/me. u guys r the best. Class of 98-good luck in the future-thanks 4 the awesome memories!

Memories Hangin w/ JP, ML, MT, JT, HA, TM- All my Theater Gruppies, good luck ML, lets keep spinnin' JP, "Das Phat!" KK, thanx for the encouragement TVN, keep it "En Fuego!" Puffy 11-14-97 was the best! CG, Brit, you're both cuties! AT KV, never forget ya' All my b-ball peeps, keep it real CC, KG, AK, SL, KL, JZ, LA, JM, SH, GC, RM, I'll never forget all of ya' YC w/ TM & HJ, luv ya both! All my little YC buddies, good luck, you need it! CD, you know you want me!!! LH, thanx for bein' there! HEY SHTANKETTES - never forget ya! All my Ri-Ri friends, keep takin' them smart pills! HA, thanx for everything! JF, I'll luv you 4 life! All my Reading peeps, luv ya all! ML, JP, MT, you guys are my bro's, never forget that! LG, thanx for everything. Thanx dad & mom, Lanz & Ash, you mean more to me than you think!

Gregory Jones

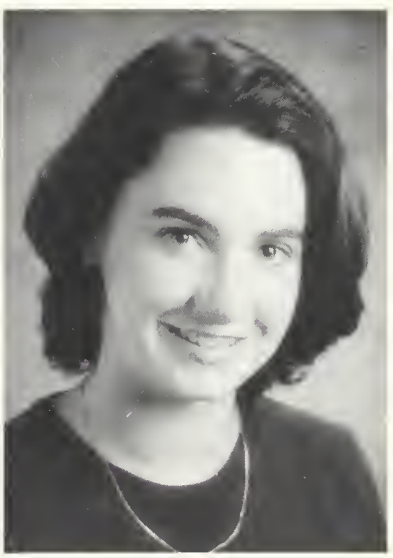
The best times of my life: Growing up w/ JS, CD, KS, CS, I luv u guys! K + C, "this summer we have to ect." Strawberry cream cheese and "Africa" w/ CM, CS, KS. Road trips w/ the Sweensters. NA's 97', 'Doin nothing at "da beach" w/ the crew. DMB 96' Stressing w/AK, stress relief w/ BQ, you guys rock! 2 for 1 deal at McDs w/ KE. This is the life, Aruba 96' w/ KD! "the cliff" w/ CD, Avalon w/BQ and Ru-hu-sty, graduation night 95' Boppin' w/ KL + JS at PC. 1/2 time shows w/ the girls! Mom + Bailer, I luv u more than u know, everyone else u know who u are, thanx for being there, you're unforgettable!

Heather Jones

Trent Howland Jones

Favorite peeps: WW, NRL, JB, DH, IW, MM, CC, BGG, EG. AM-stuff that made me happy: donavan w/BGG, the hand room, the lap, riding elmo, moving like buildings, nirvana, little piano girls, guitars, drum, drums, huhles, green, hlue, my smelly jeep, mixed motions, kats, doggs, tortola, ananda, dunks in the morning, harry's, love, tt's, green tortex, the hat cave, fender, feeling fine, and staring at the sun!

Alycia Christie Kenney



The memories r endless & w/me always. Never forget. fam vac-all Xs together. Bike rides w/MM. Growing up w/MM, KG, BS, CS. Big sis-MH pg w/Chicken. JHi Xs. SS. Shooting stars. Shindigs. Bkft w/BQ. FTE. YbC w/KE. Bhall thpy. Boat. Bops. Shall CALC. Talks w/KE. * ILJ w/KG, SW. gc w/CD. DECA-w/SL. Psyc sg w/KG, WW, JB. BG Renting. Stressing w/HJ. $ game w/WW. Singing Beach, Key West. D study. All talks/Xs w/KE, KG, BQ, SL, SH, HJ, CH, CC, WW, BVF, BG Michele-my angel, can't wait 2 hear u laugh again. Alex, Eliza-luv u. Greta-u r the hest, together always. Mom, Dad-thanx 4 preparing me 4 the world. Luv u more than u'll ever know. Class of '98-luv u guys . . . "If you're afraid of the dark, remember the night rainhow."

Andrew Leigh Kershaw

"Cry havoc and let slip the dogs of war"

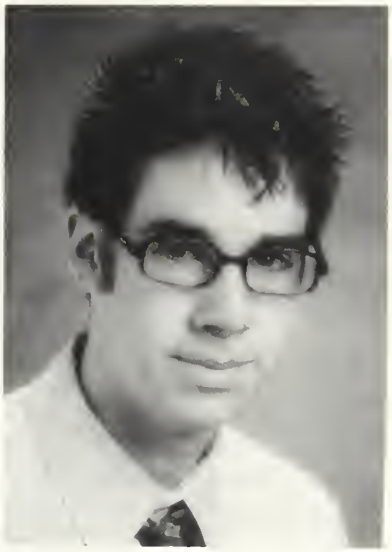
#88 captain
Andrew kershaw

PET PEEVES: interruptions, "why aren't you smiling?" FONDEST MEMORIES: Philmont, "French . . . Funny" movie, Presidentail Classroom, Science League, 18th birthday, Squirrel Nut Zippers NICKNAMES: Kersh, Andy Q, Q, C.K. AMBITION: To take over the world, no really, to become a renowned scientist ACTIVITIES: football (1, 2, 3, 4), band (1, 2, 3, 4), debate (1, 3), Science League (2, 3, 4), Math League (3, 4), Beta Society, NHS, Senior Class V.P. FAVORITE SAYING: Live without stress, control the things you can, and don't worry about those you can't THANKS: to all my friends and especially to my parents who motivated me to excel

Amanda Leigh Klein

Nickname: Chippi, G3. Memories: Salem, Maine, Somerville, Saugus, Playette Car, "No Diggity", "I JUST DONT KNOW", Private Sam, Dec 13 96' w/ M-M, BBC, Mcdonald Trips, Highway Adventures, Kilo, Granny Mobile, Sunroof, Outback w/ D, R, C, Driving in England, Skating Back Home, Chemistry w/ Mr Gray, Makonnen + Matt, Eat Em', Funtown w/ Tim, Lil' Griffin, Beavis and Butthead, Superbowl 97, Looney Toon Boxers, B-C Magazine w/ M-M, Basement, Halloween 96 + 97, Assuming The Position, Good Times w/ M-M, G-Funk, Tim (Lil' G), Maki, B Daddy, Mufusa, Pooh, Noel, Shane, Amy L, Landa, Amy B, Mom, Dad, Lindsay Thanks 4 Everything.

Noah Lamphear



Stefanie Diane Landers

"The many moons and sunny days we have lived here will be remembered". N. yrs @ KE's & CC's. CH on my floor 1st impressions, JS sleepin KG on the stairs. S. Cove, Mag, & S. Beach crews, IG's B-Day. Sneakin out W/KL L. Beach w/KE & CC prom '96, '97. bikin W/JM. All x's w/ comp. cluh CC, KE, SW, KG, KL, IG, CH, EB. Cinco de Mayo nights at RM's. ID 4 & CD's car w/KG. Talks w/SW in M. Beach. DMB train. Cal W/KE. G-block coffee breaks. AKA Roxy. X's w/HJ & BQ. Coffee runs & talks W/CH. VF w/CD, KB, LS. All x's w/CD, thanx for always being there, I love you so much. Xmas in UT & D World 8/5/97, I'll never forget. Mom and Dad, thanx for all you've given me: my strength, will to succeed, and always being by my side.

Kate Marie Logue

Best Times: C-court chats w/IG, CH, CH. Cinco '96 Allman Bro. w/ML, IK, MB, JC. Park chats w/ SH. Night Feva-CH, JS, IG. Late nights-ML, JS, IG, SH. IG B-day. Huey. 4th '97! GDs house- Night Swims. RMs house. 12/20/96-vikes! PC visit. Boppin' w/ HJ, JS, IG. RTs w/ PS, AN, IG. All Nighter w/ IG? TJ's house. Talks w/ MD, SL. Sum. '96-'97. GCs house. Xs at S. beach. All missions w/ IG my partener in crime. Bin' w/ BVF, IG. Landing w/ JS, MB, MR, & the boys. Mag Beach Xs. Sun/RR w/ JS, CD. Prom '97 w/ JM, IG, SW, JVF. IG's house. Rosy. T-ride w/ DD, GT. Rocks w/ SW. Growin' up w/ ML & TL. I'll miss you guys esp JS & IG. Mom, Dad, M & T- thanks for puttin' up w/ me.

Jaclyn McCarthy

Best Memories: Trips & Playin pool w/ SW + AN, Chillin at BF. Times at R.M's house, The Cliff/ P.S. Dix + The Landing, Hangin out w/ my Big Bro's and the boys. Great times w/SW, AN, DD, GT, MS, WS, CC, IG, MS, TG, CM, RM, GD, SK, + The BFC. Prom '96 w/MS. Best B-day ever w/AN. Summer '96, Parties in N.J, R.I, Conn, & N.H. S.G's w/KM and Cypress, The Heights, The backery, Vermont w/SW + KB. Pet Peeves: W + B w/Buddy + Phil, N's w/AC, MS, EX + The Captain, & Murphy yellin. G. Accomp. gettin out of MHS + going to NS. Thank You to SW + AN for lookin out and always being there for me, 143 guys.

Ryan McGovern

thanks to my old man for being there. distortion to static w/ the boys. primus w/ js, hf, bl, hl, ih DE IA. late night fishing missions w/ sc. out for fame w/ pidy. MV summer '97. Chicago nights. pumpkin snipers. to all the people who have big mouths it will come back to you. the coyne crew & the ercolani's thanks for the support. sh, bf, lm, gc i hope you guys keep it down to earth mom i know we don't see eye to eye but i love you and always will, kate & shane i love you guys too. kim i'd be lost w/out you., i love you and thanks. and finally to all the people who fired mad snipes and were down w/ me, fish on .

Kate McInerney

Memories. Old cheerleading w/C.H. Beverly S.W. summer 94 J.P. New years eve 95 K.E. F skating C.C. train station C.H, & S.W. Paint fight K.L. walks w/ C.H. half days w/ C.H & S.L. long talks. 18th b-day w/ S.W, C.H J.M. prom 97. limo deca. G. times w/ J.M., Mag beach, B-2-M concert w/ S.W. J.P I'll love you always! Mom, Dad, Joe & Jon thanxs 4 everything. Best of luck to everyone.

Lee McLaughlin

Nick names: too many to list Favorite memories: late night drive through Beverly with the guys, quarry jumps, Things I like: tosin the furrs, summer time adventures, the ocean and being in it. things I don't like: all my stupid nick names

Emma McLin-Usovicz

Nickname, G; Memories: Salem (Basement & The Point), Dec. 13 w/Chip, Mr Grays Room, Superbowl 97', Granny mobile, Triple play (Being In Full Effect), A.E.C.C, Chicken Thrown In Salem, Right Pant Leg Up, Atlanta w/G, BBC, Beach In Magnolia, D.R & C, Somerville, Saugus, Lynn, Nashua NH, Brockton, Dorchester, Boston, Virginia Beach (Representin), Gloucester Fiesta w/G, G's Crib w/JB & CJ, The Toe Thing, Assuming The Positon, Playette #1 To The Fullest, All The Good Times w/G, Chip, L. Lamh, Linda (RIP Girl), Maki, Mufasa, Big Daddy, Ray, JB, & Jackie, Bio w/ G T, Brockton Party (Guy In White), Crawling Under Tables In Lunch, Hiding f/Mr Gray; To My G: You Know We Will Always Be Girls! You Know I've Always Got Your Back! We Are Representin To The Fullest, To Chip: Play On Playette! -Peace-

Caitlin Constance Patrick Melia

The secret of life is enjoying the passage of time- FONDEST MEMORIES- Yale '96 w/ CD, SD, & AW, Captin Hook/Mangos, UT '96, WV '96 & '97 w/ AA, LE, JK, KK, KK, FW, & Val, CLI '97 w/ AA, LE, JK & Val, LIVE w/ CD, Lilith Fair w/ AW, all debate and speech trips, Duckie, C block study w/ MP, CD, & AW, SMUT, Girls State w/ SF, "Prom Night" w/ AW & LE, Spanish class w/ MP & AW (what's wrong with this picture?), Mr. Cola w/ BD, Summer Stage w/ BD & PT, driving w/ PT, Western Civ w/ JB, CD & IP, 3rd lunch, every xmas. To my friends, Colleen, Mike, Matt and especially Mom, thank you for supporting me! I love you all so much, and "I will remember you".

Tennyson Pomeroy Mentus

Or life is yours to miss - RENT
buy a cow, it'll make you laugh! Schmaaaaaaa!!!
GLORY!!
be my
your
minutes
Just HUMAN!
How do you measure a year. daylights, sunsets
midnights, cups of coffee. in laughter. in strife. There's only us
there's only this: forget: regret, Or life is yours to MISS!

FUN SCHTUFF: All times w/AR AP SHM TM DK AK GK AO HA LH DT GJ EM AB AJ. I'll miss you all. PD. 2-13-94. FR & SP (lion hars & Tapas) CA w/AO DT HA JZ. All shows esp. Godspell, The Wiz, Annie, ABA. All fun times @ SS w/SHM WD GK AK EG AG JP TP PP DP KA GH CK PK BD JE; I LOVE YOU GUYS. VG KP CG BV GT TA thanx for the tears, laughs, & guidance all these years. Bhall w/AK HO CC CH AJ PK. FH (cheerleaders) Prom 97. Parties w/LP MO SHM AR AP YG: TM AF JF JH KM MR VG AL PG HM AB CB MD JB. RENT: KT, ET (miss you) All my huds (you know who you are): You Rule! Thanx for the good times and the funny faces. Mom Dad Tam Val: Words can't express how much I love you. Schmaaaaaaaaaaaaaa!!

Alexandra Michael

"Your children are not your children, you may give them your love but not your thoughts, for they have their own thoughts, you may house their bodies but not their souls, for their souls dwell in the house of tomorrow, which you cannot visit, not even in your dreams, you may strive to be like them, but seek not to make them like you, for life goes not backward nor tarries with yesterday, you are the bows from which you children as living arrows are sent forth"- Kahill Gibran All my love and thanks to my Mom and Dad and all the happy days through the years with: Ali, Andrea, Dave, Elhe, Ian, Jill, Jim, Lauren, Noah, Trent, and Will -Love Sugar Bum

Jacqueline O'Neill

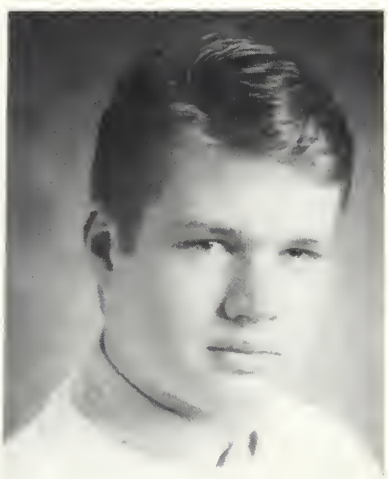
I'll never forget: Traveling through France and Spain with AD, AM, JL, and CB. Swimming at WK's in the dark with AD and AGM. New Years at AM's (Watch out for the bathtub). Ah, our first time driving together on Halloween, sitting on your roof, our little fire at the beach, riding around Salem at 4 am, the mini house, and everything else. Andy- when you taught me to drive standard, getting lost on purpose . . . and not on purpose, telling stories, having a banana split for breakfast, the last 2 days before I went away, and my first day back. "The best thing about NYC is you and me"-CUB. Kevin, having cocoa and watching movies, bad luck with cars, just sitting and talking by the ocean. Mom, Dad, and Liz: Thank you so much for everything, especially this past year. I'll miss you

Andrea Pavles

"The Land of Happy"
-Shel Silverstein *Where the Sidewalk Ends*

Have you been to The Land of Happy,
Where everyone's happy all day,
Where they joke and they sing
Of the happiest things,
And everyone's jolly and gay?
There's no one unhappy in Happy,
There's laughter and smiles galore.
I have been to The Land of Happy-
What a bore!

Ian Alexander Pomerville



Nicknames: Ploppy, Skippy Memories: Murder In The First, While You Were Sleeping/study w/MK, JB, GD, LE/West Civ. w/CD, CM, JB/RB in Bos. w/KW/Prom 96 w/CC, Prom 97 w/KW/Limos w/MP, AM, LH, LE, KW, AS/MPB-day Parties/GJ + MP/Loft w/KW, MP, GJ, AG, MD/BOS. w/MP, AS, JS, KW, LE, BH, JV/SD + SJP/7 central/Donatellos/Toscanos/RW house/Tramp. in rain w/MP, AS/Groove button/Math w/Ann, Anna, Ashly, JP/GF + PT/NZ in 97/Foothal w/AK, CC, KD, AD, MS, DM, BS, MD/grade 9 lunch w/AC, DC, JB, JO, MG, AR, TP/Tues Dinner w/JK, AM/Summer w/JK/Cheering w/AS, MP, JR, LH, BD, HR/KW I LUV U/To all my friends, Thanx for all the wonderful times, you have made my HS experience the best thanx KW, MP, AM, AS, LE, LH, LP, JK, JR, SD/Parting is such sweet sorrow

Breanne Elizabeth Quinn

Memories: all moments spent in the Great Outdoors, every show; VT 1 mi w/ EB, skiing/boarding w/ AM, HJ, KE; all times w/ KG, HJ, BG, AH, CH, SL, CB, AK, KE, EB, CC, BVF, CD, WW, JS, Drives w/ KG (thnx, luv ya); Myrtle Beach; Beach & Masco w/ "the Crew", late nites; Breakfast w/ Bops (i'll miss u); Prom 97, Son of a Preacher; HJ @ Phish '95; Ru-uh-sty!; Mag Beach Crew; Moonwalk w/ KG, DECA, Nicks w/ BG, WW, Mon Study Group w/ KE, AK, Darn Tootin' w/ CH; talks w/ BG; NYE w/ KE, the Crew. Thank you to my family- I could not have made it w/o your love & support! To the Class of '98 I'll miss you all, thnx for the memories. Remember: Nothing left to do but SMILE, SMILE, SMILE!

Adriana Raudzens

What is life?
It is the flash of a firefly in the night.
It is the breath of a buffalo in the winter time.
It is the shadow which runs across the grass and loses itself in the Sunset.
—Crowfoot's last words (1890)

There is religion in everything around us—a calm and holy religion in the unbreathing things of nature, which man would do well to imitate.
—John Ruskin

Yes other hearts were broken
other dreams ran dry
But our golden ones sail on, sail o
to another land beneath another sk

En este Mundo Traidor,
Nada es Verdad
ni Mentira.
Todo depende el Color del Cristal
con que Se Mira.

Roads go ever ever on,
Over rock and under tree,
By caves where never sun has shone,
By streams that never find the sea,
Over snow by winter sown,
And through the merry flowers of June,
Over grass and over stone,
And under mountains in the moon

Roads go ever ever on
Under cloud and under star,
Yet feet that wandering have gone
Turn at last to home afar
Eyes that fire and sword have seen
And horror in the halls of stone
Look at last on meadows green
And trees and hills they long have known

We need another and a wiser and perhaps a more mystical concept of animals. Remote from universal nature, and living by complicated artifice, man in civilization surveys the creatures through the glass of his knowledge and sees thereby a feather magnified and the whole image in distortion. We patronize them for their incompleteness, for their tragic fate of having taken a form so far below ourselves. And therein we err, and greatly err. For the animal shall not be measured by man. In a world older and more complete than ours they move finished and complete, gifted with extensions of the senses we have lost or never attained, living by voices we shall never hear. They are not brethren; they are not underlings; they are other nations, caught with ourselves in the net of life and time, fellow prisoners of the splendour and travail of the earth. ---Henry Beston

The mark of the immature man is that he wants to die nobly for a cause, while the mark of the mature man is that he wants to live humbly for one.
—Wilhelm Stekel

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SUBVERT THE DOMINANT PARADIGM!

Evan Sucharski

Nicknames- Ski, mini monk, and Chimpa Pet Peeve- Cocky people Memerories- FR summer of 97 with the boys, truckin through the Amazon, crusin in the BEAST (courtesy of JF), 9th grade WC class, good purchases and weak purchases, Being a taxi service for the girls, sausage fests, my friends making my life a living hell, special thanks to the Resource Room, I wouldn't be here without their help.

Jill Sullivan

Nickname: Schwill. Pastimes: Fun at GC, RM, Dott's house, Primus 97 w/BF & RM too many shows. I WENT w/RD, SH, EB. Virginia w/SH, JH, BF, JB. CH is special w/ or w/o. S. Cove, Mag Beach, ect. nightswims. wandering on the 4th w/IG & KL. sillyness @ TJ's. Soul Suck'n. B & P w/RD, MB, ect. S'n B's with my buds. fester squabbles SW. Debating w/ LM. disco fever w/KL. apple pie. thanks for everything mom, papy & sis. IT'S BEEN FUN, "NOTHING LEFT TO DO BUT SMILE, SMILE, SMILE!"

Georgina Teitel

Best Memories: All times at Norwood w/ DD, Mr. R's Bio w/ EM, HF, 96-97 w/ DD & SW ect "the train ride" w/ DD & KL. SW's porch w/ JM, SW & JH. Talks, laughs, gossip w/ MC, AB, JS f/ NH. Sleepovers w/ KR & all "deep talks" & soap operas w/ AB. 4th of July 96. TA's class w/ CH & EM. Contempo & walk in woods w/ AB. Semi-Formal 97. Walk in woods w/ DD. Prom 97. cruise w/ DD. Boston w/ LB, AB & AG. Prudential. July 1st 96, I love you Don. Thanks to my Mom & Dad. I love you.

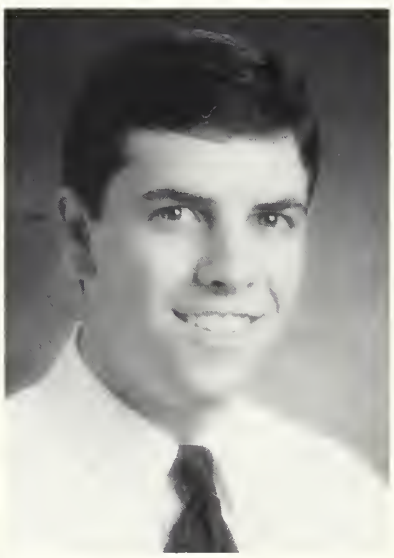
Matt Christopher Thompson

Memories of GJ HA JT hanging out together JF CM you both owe me money. Memories of Colorado w/ JT, going to Texas w/ JT and visiting NT PT KT never forget B-ball w/ GJ hey GJ "seabreeze" and "swansons" HA TW I miss you both very much. DM MC remember the night at my house that was a fun night. Mr. Atwater and Mr. Averil B-ball before school was really fun. SP (Top Gun Goose) SD I want my ice cream JF when are you going to have gas in your car so I don't have to drive you everywhere LM remember getting gas and you hit the curb and popped your tire and I had to fix it EM AN you will always be my G's HA remember the goat and you were Beeker.

Pamela Bell Tracey

Nickname: Pam Fondest Memories: Going to Friendly's with JC, JK + AJ. Field Hockey with HA + SB. Hey Caitlin! Wanna go watch Free Willy 2? All the times with CM, BD + LT. Coffee house with CD + CM. Times with all my friends at Kingsmont. California '97. DECA '97. Boy, did I prove them wrong! My MDA Bowl-a-thon. I want to thank all the teachers who bent over backwards for me. You know who you are! Last but not least I would like to thank my family for their constant support. I love you all very much!

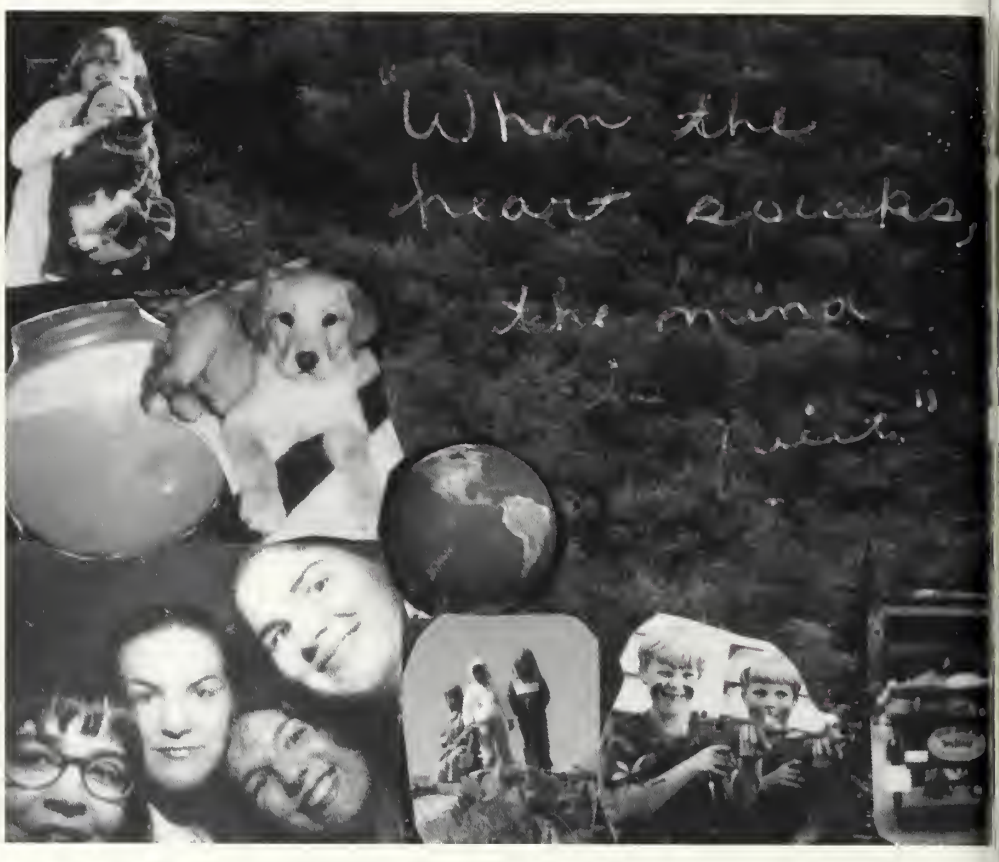
William Joseph VanFaasen



Fondest Memories: the lap w/ TJ, CM. Dix Park Boomn' w/ KL, RM, SH, BF. Talks w KG. Flatrocks 3:30 am w/ SH. Fishin' w/ BF, GC, RM, SH, CH. Roadies w/ CM. Prom w/IG. Tucker Anthony. DMB, Rolling Stones, Phish. Prom limo nde. RT's home. The Aqua. Senior BLT w/CC, CM, SP. Taunton w/ SP, CM. Beach lot. Growin' up w/SG, HG. B's games. Summer 97 w/JVF. Good luck to the boys-GC, RM, SH, LM, BF, BG, SP, Both CM,s. Thanx to all my friends in the class of 98. To John, Elly, Mom and Dad -thanks so much for everything. I LOVE YOU

Shawna Kirsten Waitt

Nickname: Shanea. Memories, Porch w/JM, GT, JH. MB 96, 97. HJ w/KG & AK. Wkd @ AN's. HF 96, 97; 1st Gf. NYE w/AN & JM; ah s** late nights, JM's wpaper, IG's b-day, hangin' w/JM, AN, GT, CH, IG, CC, KL, SL, KG, KF. Field Hockey. Cali 97 w/CC, HJ, CH. NH w/CH; meathall. GT's house. Fsqwahles w/JS. Bev w/Km. Old times w/CC. Vcameras. 4 moons. Sardines. SL house w/CH, Dip. Good talks w/CC, CH, JM, AN, GT, IG, KL. West Beach w/JM & IG. Cinco 96. SemiF 97. TCups. AM's w/KG. Bstn w/CH & JM, coffee lady & "So, when will I c u again?" KE's Late night, 1st B. Early mornings. 32 w/JM, Toga IG at door in MB, sorry u missed out! Door away from *** w/JM, luck! Talk w/KL on the rocks. MOM, DAD & JJ, Thanx 4 everything -I LOVE YOU!!



Alexis Wermuth

Aka: Lexi, Lex Luther, Pumpkin; biggest pet peeves = daytime running lights that are missing one light, know-it-alls; memories = Wash. DC, two good one bad, oh hottle!, you've lost that lovin feelin, the Sam Goody crew, Denny's, the PC crowd, lost keys, the great prom night theft, gym, 1863², wierd ears, procrastination is my occupation, you girls like davy², Lilith Fair '97, amazing coincidences, short hair, the pig. "The actuality of thought is life."- Aristotle. "Sometimes reputations outlive their applications"-Sugar High. Thanks Mom, Dad, Craig, Brett, Tucker, Jerry, and the late Ally for making my life thus far a truly unique experience. I love you all.

William Wilson

TJ NL, JB, DH, BG, KG, AM, EG MEMORIES: crutches w/ NL, DH, JB, Canada; Riding Elmo, TT'S, FSC, MLB W/IW and the boys, sneaking in, Not laughing w/EG, DD's, Beck, G Love, Unwound, BCN River Rave, the hill, WMWM, BK/TD, Days w/NL, bandroom + Donovan w/ the boys + BG, DECA, All times + talks w/KG 143427, coffee w/ KG, Nantucket w/fam, night-drives w/JB, Guitar Center w/TJ, NOW, at the dock w/EG, the green shed, the hatcave, money-game w/AK, trunklock, Prom 97', Beach w/ crew, sniper mission w/BVF, golfcourse at dat's, Ghlock study, BJ's house, BMG w/KG, secret drives w/KG, incognito, WOW in Boston w/NL, TJ, CD, NL lost in Mag, Dinner w/ EG, CC, GP: Thanks to the fam M + M, exp mom + jim, friends, KG, EG, TJ-only u know, dad, I Love you all

Jennifer Viveca Zimmerman

Memories: gymnastics and more gymnastics with JW JM CB, Skiing at Sunday River with CC MW TJ BH JR JB NR MR DH BW TL, "Let's go rip-rip Jennie!" Downdraft, Barker Lodge, SKI DORMS, Bumps, APRIL VACATION, Legends, Bust 'N Burn. Unforgetable times w/ Brenden; munchin at the Port, VM, Topsfield fair, Prom 96 & 97, DECA trips; JT MT DT HA AO, Times w/ Lini, nothing but trouble!; Downtown, Singing Beach, Boston Christen & Laura, I luv you guys! Gloucester w/ CB MA SO SC. Got the best sisters in the world MOM and DAD, I love you guys so much, don't ever forget that!!!

Stephen Poulos

Sarah Halpern Meckin

Chris McNair

Aleesha Nunley

Brian Smith

Evelyna Almela

Brett Fairbanks

Ellen Webb

Collin McKenzie

What Would It Be Like If...

-Seniors got respect from underclassmen.
-We did not have the beach to spin.
-There was stuff to do on the weekends.
-The bathrooms were not locked during every lunch.
-Food and coffee were allowed out of the cafeteria.
-Seniors got the parking spaces.
-Our class trip could be in the islands.
-We did not have Dunkin Donuts.
-Manchester gossip was non-existent.
-We had a 'jock' school
-Mrs. Gandolfi was not our class advisor. (We would be nowhere!)
-The senior class had no cliques.
-People wore the right sized pants.
-The police had better things to do than busting teenagers.
-We could walk down the hall without getting attacked by L.L. Bean backpacks.
-We had open campus.
-The senior class had SPIRIT!!!
-We weren't allowed to smoke in the bathrooms.
-Mr. Murphy was actually taller than the students.
-Our lockers were actually big enough.
-We had to live through another year at MHS...

Superlatives

Most likely to die laughing

Most likely to live in a van down by the river

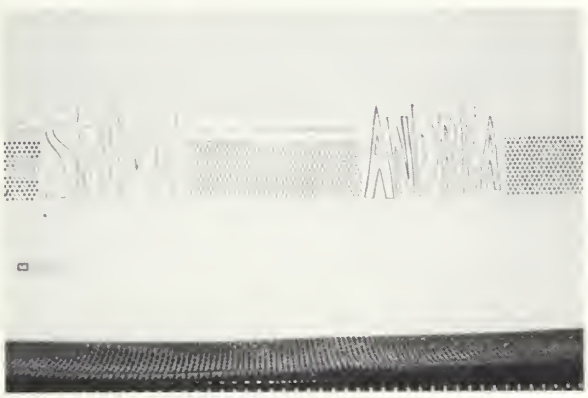
Most likely to get a full body tattoo

Most likely to be spinning the beach forever

Most likely to get lost in their own backyard

Most likely to join the circus

Most likely to get married (yeah right!)



Most likely to never be heard from again

Most likely to scam Vegas

Twas the day of the reunion, and all through the caf.
A sparse crew had assembled- it was sad enough to make you laugh

Carley was there, and was louder than life
She was trying to lighten things up-to lessen the strife

For it seems that the few who were there were substantially glum
You can't blame them though . . . . *Brandon's* mother had made him come

Chris was forced to fight to stay
He was smoking indoors, and Mr. Murphy was trying to make him go away

Iwona was there, excited, another party for her to attend,
Jackie came too, though against her will, one more absence she could not defend

Ben overslept, but came just the same
He wanted to see if people would call him "precious"-by name

When out in the parking lot there arose such a clatter
Jay burst onto the scene in his SAAB to see who'd gotten fatter

Beyond being critical though, Jay did prove to be helpful
He had the scoop on everybody, or at least a small (questionably accurate) mouthful

He told the group of car troubles galore
Christine ran out of gas and *Kim's* car just couldn't take any more

Brian was working on their cars in his auto body shop
Which is nothing compared to *Carolyn's* car troubles however, still stuck in driver's ed. her training didn't stop

Jay also spoke of other crises- *Colleen* for instance, was (naturally) having one
And *Emily's* poison ivy was far too widespread for her to come

Cliff and *Adriana* were both working hard
He was busy killing the animals, and she was trying to get people like him feathered and tarred

One too many nasty, old, "truck driven" men had whistled at *Sarah* . . . her anger was unfounded
And *Heather,* much to her dismay, was still indefinitely grounded

Under duress from public health officials, *Jim* was washing his hair for the first time in two years
Ellen was getting her hair cut- a separation so traumatic, it drove her to tears

Bill's credit card was over the limit- having it cut in two significantly slowed him down
And the fact that *Stefanie L.* had fallen down her stairs, prevented her return to the quaint, little town

Matt was busy in court . . . filing for divorce
Ryan . . . why . . . . he ate the invitation of course

Jay spoke of people, like *Brett,* who just had better things to do
Steve, for example, was in Lynn . . . chillin' with the 40 crew

Caitlin M. was working hard- she was involved with Sunday School Ed.
Ian had opted to go to Kristen Wilson's reunion instead

Greg had a lead and was singing on Broadway- his talents had brought him fame
Tenny was the female lead in the production-"Tennita" was the show's name

Bre was out in Colorado, she had a "guy findin" plan

Unfortunately, out on the slopes . . . *Jenn* had happened to snag Bre's "mountain man"

Seth was deep in thought . . . in a Zen-like mode
And *Alex* (think Chicken . . .) was methodically crossing the road

Julia had left the country long ago- she thought that the class was just too insane
Amanda also had no desire to return- she was happy in Portland, Maine

Ali was "clueless" about the reunion- she was making a cameo at a party in the "val"
Jill was searching for the meaning of life with her Hare Krishna pals

At a stand up comedy club, impersonating Andrew Dice Clay you could find *Joe Fine*
Stephanie D. was at the Prep- talking to alumni with her precious time

Emma had taken talk radio by storm- she had become a modern day Dr. Ruth
Aleesha N. was making her national debut on Ricki Lake- tellin' nothin' but the truth

Mark was piercing computer simulated foes, while *Noah* was piercing himself
Jay wouldn't discuss where Noah was adorning his body, but he did talk of *Lexi's* managerial position at Sam Goody and all of her wealth

Jaclyn, it was rumored, was taking care of her "brothers" and "sisters"
While *Andrew* was hiking some frighteningly high mountain- too numb to feel his toes let alone the blisters

But what to Jay's twinkling eyes should appear,
But *Will* driving around, like the reunion wasn't here

He also saw *Trent,* though just passing through
He was playing at Front Street and had too much to do

Dave was on tour with Snoop . . . following him across the land
Lee was doggin' around the beach- "Leehound" they called him- with Frisbee in hand

Kate L. was touring with the BeeGees . . . she was just "Stayin' Alive"
While *Kate M.* was dancing at various sporting events, doing a cheerleader jive

Lini was doing a photo shoot- modeling for Contempo
Pam was playing with MacGregor and Otis . . far too preoccupied to go

Collin made up a bad excuse, something about the timing's tough
And *Alycia,* for the first time didn't show, she finally called our bluff.

Jay said that some, like *Evan,* had made a noble attempt to show
But they all seemed to get held up . . . in Evan's case he just forgot which way to go

Keri would have come too . . . the invitation her eye's had scanned
Yet when the day rolled around she forgot all about it- she hadn't written the message on her hand

Georgina and *Shawna* both remembered the engagement, in fact they couldn't Waitt
But Shawna stayed in the shower too long, and Georgina (per usual) was running late

"And what about *Andrea,*" Carley implied and Jay smiled at the thought of his chum
"She hasn't been to a school event since the sixth grade dinner dance . . did you really think she'd come"

The group nodded and agreed, it was no big surprise
The class had always consisted of independent gals and guys.

The Builders

All are architects of Fate, Working in these walls of Time;
Some with massive deeds and great, Some with ornaments of rhyme.

Nothing useless is, or low; Each thing in its place is best;
And what seems but idle show Strengthens and supports the rest.

For the structure that we raise, Time is with materials filled;
Our todays and yesterdays Are the blocks with which we build.

Truly shape and fashion these; Leave no yawning gaps between;
Think not, because no man sees, Such things will remain unseen.

In the elder days of Art, Builders wrought with greatest care
Each minute and unseen part; For the gods see everywhere.

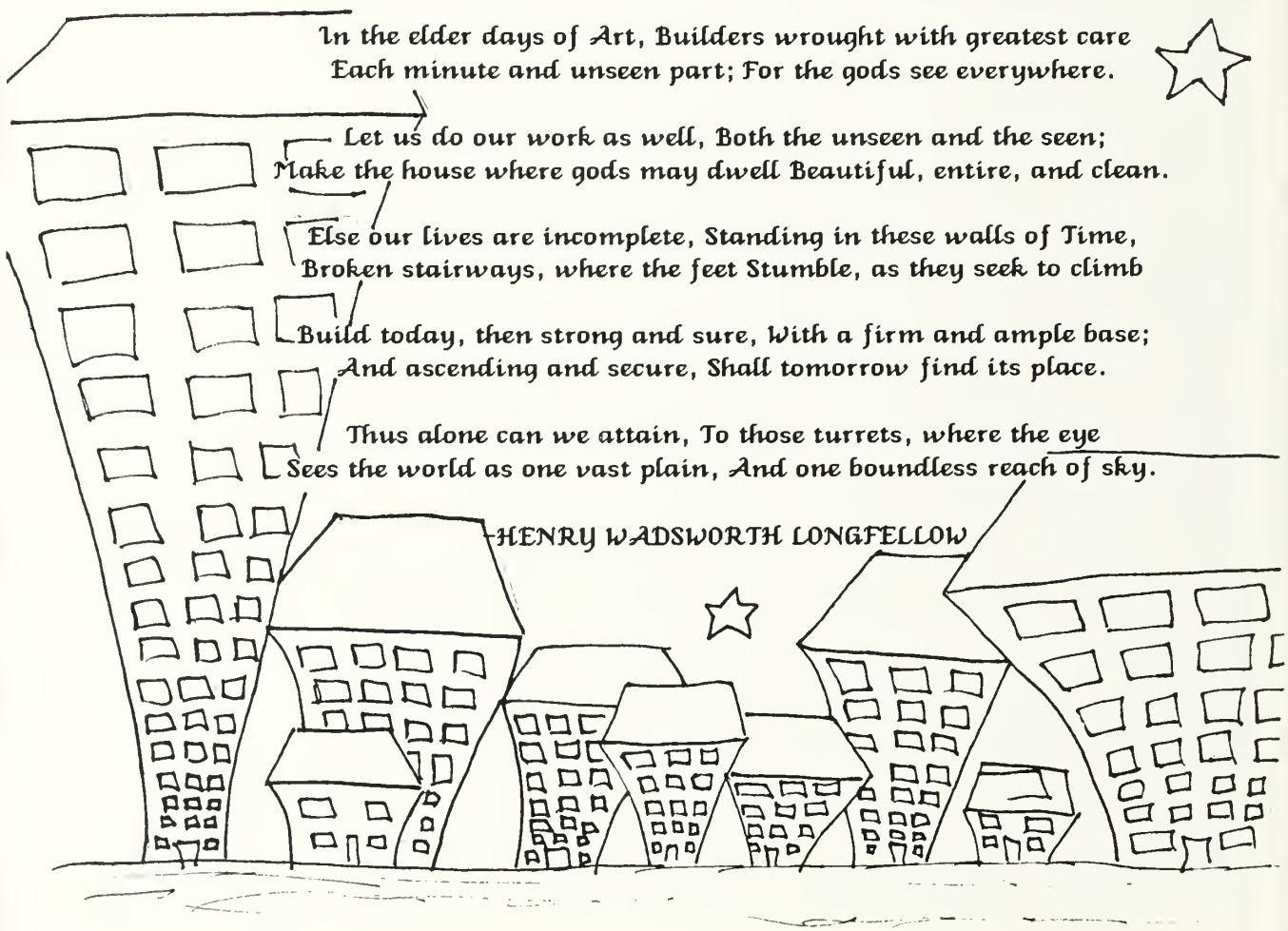
Let us do our work as well, Both the unseen and the seen;
Make the house where gods may dwell Beautiful, entire, and clean.

Else our lives are incomplete, Standing in these walls of Time,
Broken stairways, where the feet Stumble, as they seek to climb

Build today, then strong and sure, With a firm and ample base;
And ascending and secure, Shall tomorrow find its place.

Thus alone can we attain, To those turrets, where the eye
Sees the world as one vast plain, And one boundless reach of sky.

HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW



All I Ever Really Needed To Know I Learned In Kindergarten

Most of what I really need to know about how to live, what to do, and how to be, I learned in kindergarten. Wisdom was not at the top of the graduate school mountain, but there in the sandbox at nursery school.

These are things I learned: Share everything. Play fair. Don't hit people. Put things back where you found them. Clean up your own mess. Don't take things that aren't yours. Say you're sorry when you hurt somebody. Wash your hands before you eat. Flush. Warm cookies and cold milk are good for you. Live a balanced life. Learn some and draw and paint and sing and dance and play and work every day some.

Take a nap every afternoon. When you go out into the world, watch for traffic, hold hands, and stick together. Be aware of wonder. Remember the little seed in the plastic cup. The roots go down and the plant goes up and nobody knows how or why, but we are all like that.

Goldfish and hamsters and white mice and even the little seed in the plastic cup - they all die. So do we.

And then remember the book about Dick and Jane and the first word you learned, the biggest word of all: LOOK. Everything you need to know is in there somewhere. The Golden Rule and love and basic sanitation. Ecology and politics and sane living.

Think of what a better world it would be if we all - the whole world - had cookies and milk about 3 o'clock every afternoon and lay down with our blankets for a nap. Or if we had a basic policy in our nation and other nations always to put things back where we found them and cleaned up our own messes. And it is still true, no matter how old you are, when you go out in the world, it is best to hold hands and stick together.

-Robert Fulghum

The Class of 1998 would like to thank all the faculty and staff at Manchester High School for constantly reinforcing the values and lessons that began in kindergarten. MHS faculty is unique because they realize that academics are not the only valuable lessons to be taught and learned within the walls of the high school. Thank you for all the time and dedication you have put toward our class and our futures. We are who we are, in part, because of you.

Eleventh Grade

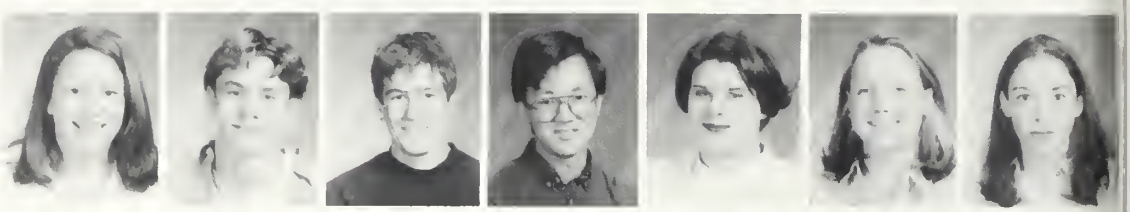
Robison Adams
Adam Aldrich
Sara Anderson
Holly Arcand
Sally Baer
Alexandra Barrett
Marcelle Bassila

Darren Becker
Elizabeth Bennett
Sean Bresnahan
Kristen Brousseau
Alex Burgess
Nathan Burt
Greg Campbell

John Capello
Jennifer Carr
Aaron Ciulla
Daks Desjardins
Peter DiGiovanni
Lindsey Egan
Jeremy Fisher

Megan Fraser
Alison Gavin
Ellie Grosse
Melanie Hackney
Josh Hamilton
Lindsay Harnden
Tara Hawkes

Jill Heath
Joe Heffron
Zeb Heisey
Matthew Horowitz
Elizabeth Hyde
Meghan Journey
Julie Kaminski



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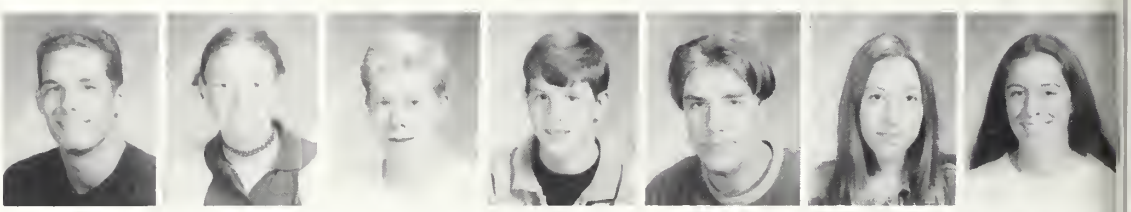

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Margot Paige
Joseph Paradiso

Rick Peck
Elizabeth Pundt
Maria Le Rossow
K C. Sartwell
Jackson Scarlett
Charlie Scully
Kristen Sergeant

Class Of 1999

Willie Shawno
Allison Sheeran
Michael Shrewsberry
Caleb Silsby
Lauren Silverstein
David Smith
Patrick Somers

Justin Tirrell
Thomas Van Note
Jon Victorine
Daniel Williams
Kristin Wilson
Heather Young

(Grade 11)
Missing In Action:
Amanda Herrick
Alex Jerome
Joseph McInerney
Jessica Ring
Laura Andrews
Chris Pine
Andrea Prodanas

No man is free who is not master of himself

Sweet Rememberences

Let Fate do her word; there are relics
of joy,
Bright dreams of the past, which she
cannot destroy;
And which come in the night-time of sorrow
and care,
To bring back the features that joy used to
wear;
Long, long be my heart with such memories
filled;
Like the vase in which roses have once been
distilled,
You may break, you may shatter the vase, if
You will,
But the scent of the roses will hang around it
still.

-Moore

Long Life.

Count not thy life by calenders; for
years
Shall pass thee by unheeded, whilst an
hour-
Some little fleeting hour, too quickly past-
May stamp itself so deeply on thy brain,
Thy latest years shall live upon it's joy.
His life is longest, not whose boneless gums,
Sunk eyes, wan cheeks, and snow-white hairs
bespeak
Life's limits; no! but he whosememory
Is thickest set with those delicious scenes
'T is sweet to ponder o'er when ever fails.

-Kennedy

Tenth Grade

Elissa Adams
Daniel Armstrong
Matthew Armstrong
Sarah Beaton
Susan Blair
Meghann Brideau
Sarah Buckley

Jordan Caress
Aiden Cheney-Lynch
Michael Clement
Sarah Cook
Amber Davidson
Rebecca Deans
Kristen Delisio

Haley Deschamps
Caroline Dixon
Kyle Donoghue
Alexander Drake
David Dunn
Carrie Erwin
Nick Ferraco

Tristen Goodall
Benjamin Grayden
John Green
David Guinane
Eleanor Halgren
Bryan Hanscom
William Hart

Jessica Haverty
Marbella Healy
Grace Henderson
Charlie Herrick
Brianna Hobbs
Marcy Holland
Ashley Jones

Shannon Kane
Cecilia Keily
Pam Keily
Lindsay Klein
Amie Lecomte
Katlin Mc Cafferty
Francis McDonough

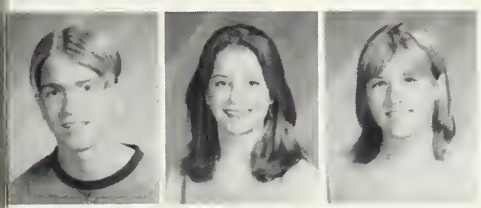
Brianna Montgomery
Alyssa Morin
Christopher Murry
Kalee Parker
Tiana Pastore
Lisa Peterson
Mia Peterson

Matt Pinestein
Aimee Poulos
Catherine Rauch
Joshua Rauseo
Alden Roberts
Laura Ronney
Michael Shea

Class Of 2000

Jesse Shrewsberry
Michael Shea
Wendi Simon
Jonathan Smith
Ross Smith
John Stromeier
Maura Sullivan

Nelley Sweeney
Colin Traynor
J.J. Wait
Brett Wermuth
Craig Wermuth
Kurt Wetterlow
Adam Wilczek



Alexander Wilczek
Leslie Williams
Kelly Williamson

Live for something, have a purpose,
And that purpose keep in view;
Drifting like a helpless vessel,
Thou canst ne'er to life be true,
Half the wrecks that strew life's ocean,
If some star had been their guide,
Might have long been riding safely,-
But they drifted with the tide.
-Robert Whitaker

(Grade 10)
Missing In Action:
Brittan Auletto
Jonathan McInerney
Nicole Tarbox

O, CAPTAIN! MY CAPTAIN!

O, Captain! my Captain! our fearful trip is done,
The ship has weather'd every rack,
The prize we sought is won,
The port is near, the bells I hear, the people all exulting.
While follow eyes the steady keel, the vessel grim and daring;
But, O heart! heart! heart!
O the bleeding drops of red,
Where on the deack my captain lies,
Fallen cold and dead.
O, Captain! my Captain! rise up and hear the bells;
Rise up-for you the flag is flung-for you the bugle trills,
For you the bouquets and ribbon'd wreaths-for you the shpores a-crowding.
For you they call, the swaying mass, their eager faces turning;
Here Captain! dear father!
This arm beneath your head!
It is some dream that on the deck,
You've fallen cold and dead.
My Captain does not answer, his lips are pale and still,
My father does not feel my arm, he has no pulse or will.
The ship is anchor'd safe and sound, its voyage closed and done,
From fearful trip the victor ship comes in with object won;
Exult, O shores, and ring O bells!
But I with mournful tread,
Walk the deck my Captain lies,
Fallen cold and dead.
-Walt Whitman

Ninth Grade

Ashley Ahern
Lane Aikins
Rachel Ashley
Robert Barret
Taylor Bishop
Seth Brown
Ashley Bruce

William Burns
Jessica Burt
Johanna Cappello
Erin Carney
Alyssa Cataldo
Emily Clark

Josiah Collens
Kristyn Colon
Benjamen Comb
Adam Cook
Catherine Courcy
Mary Crowley
Ashley Davidson

Patrick Doherty
Eric Doucette
Sandra Downey
Joseph Edgerton
Brianne Emhiser
Rozzy Finn
Jesse Genest

Jennifer Grant
Ryan Heath
Eleanor Heisey
Derek Holden
Anne Holt
Deborah Hughes
Elizbeth Ingram

Benjamin Johnson
Greta Kenney
Angus Kilgore
Lorianne Lacey
Allison Lane
Hadley Ledbetter
Julianne Levine

Caitlin Lombardi
Chris MacLeod
Peter Martin
Jonathan McDiarmid
Erin McSwiney
Shannon Moore
Eleanor O'Beirne

Evan O'Neill
Pamela Perrigo
James Powers
Alexia Price
Katherine Purdy
Micheal Rezza
Audrey Robert

Class Of 2001

Derek Roller
David Rowe
Justin Roy
Kathleen Ryan
Karl Sandler
Ashley Sawyer
Bryan Sergeant

Neil Shea
Desiree Sheppard
Miranda Silverman
Kristi Swett
Jason Szwarc
Kimberly Tucker
Darcie Turbide

Kacey Virden
Erin Weaver
Tracy Wetterlow
Heidi Young
Justin Zagaeski
Christina Zimmermann

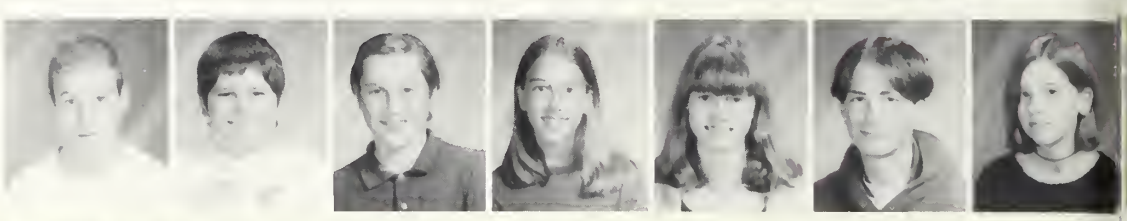
(Grade 9)
Missing In Action:
Ryan Green
Kaitlyn MacEachern

Imagination is the supreme gift of the gods and the degree of its possession is the measure of any man's advantage over circumstances- the measure of his clutch on Success.
-J.H. Kehler

Tis the coward who stops
at misfortune;
Tis the knave who charges
each day;
Tis the fool who wins half
the battle,
then throws all his chances
away.
There's little in life but labor,
And tomorrow may prove
but a dream.

Eighth Grade

Steve Ambrose
Jason Amero
David Bazylewicz
Alison Becker
Christina Bitting
Jeff Booker
Vanessa Boynton



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Maureen Henderson
Jessica Horowitz
Andrew Knox

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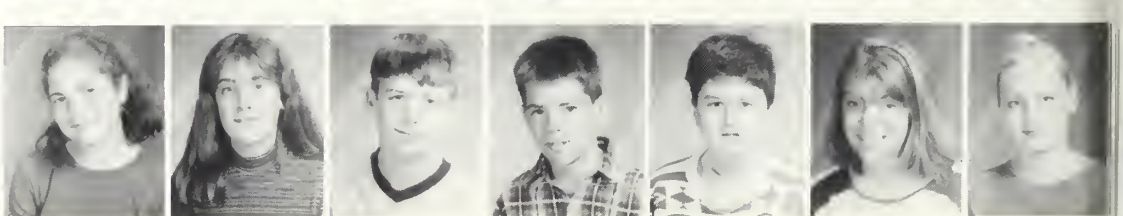

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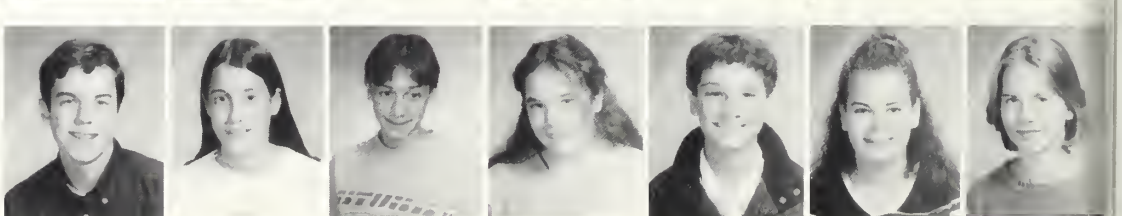

Class Of 2002

Erica Randall
Kimberly Rauch
Chris Reed
Lisa Rezza
Zachary Richardson
Megan Routzong
Carolyn Ryan

Cody Smith
Katie Smith
William Spencer
Webber steinhoff
Jared Strong
Nicholas Tanner
Hadley Tieger

Derek Weld
Gretchen Willwerth
Jeremy Wintersteen
Daniel Wood
Nicholas Zbysynski

Who conquers self- he is hero born;
His name may die, forgotten by his peers,
Be yet the seed he sowed in care and tears
Shall bear rich harvests through immortal years.

HAPPINESS DOES NOT DEPEND
ON EXTERNALS. IT MUST SPRING FROM
SOMETHING WITHIN OURSELVES.

Seventh Grade

Grant T. Anderson
Ann Angstadt
Ruth Baer
Alison Bane
Emily Benincasa
Andrew Brousseau
Emily Browne

Duncan Bruce
Ian Buckley
Kelley Burgess
Chris Comb
AnneMarie Courcy
Caroline Crofton
David Dangelo

Ashley Dann
Jeffrey Denoncour
Jessica Desjardins
Melissa Difazio
Ellen Dixon
Ben Dodge
Saoirse Donegan

Isla Doran
Stephen Dozier
Alison Egan
Kendra Emhiser
Brian Erwin
Mark Farrell
Ross Fisher

Anna Freedenfeld
Thomas Fulford
Sean Girvan
Nicholas Glass
Jessica Gondela
May Grose
Diana Haring

Maia Haverty
Kelley Journey
Phillippa Kat
John-Paul Kwasie
Nicholas Lagrassa
Michael Lanigan
Mary Larrabee

Patrick Leahy
Kara Lentz
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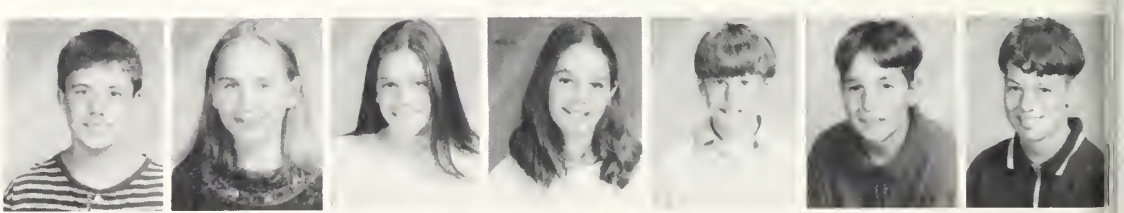


Class Of 2003

Nathan Paige
Nolan Palazola
Lauren Roller
John Ryan
Taylor Scott
Jeffrey Shea
Peter Shea

Tate Shippen
Rodney Smyth
Maida Soehl
Meghan Somers
Casey Sullivan
Trevor Taylor
Ashley Thomas

Elizabeth Tufts
Steven VanNote
A.C. Vivian
Matthias Whitson-Singer
Peter Wintersteen
Christopher Wozniak

(Grade 7)
Missing In Action:
Andrew Holden

You may not be a genius, but an ordinary mind, fully developed, often enables its possessor to outstrip those with far greater natural mental advantages.

Have the courage to do without that which you do not need, however much you may admire it.
-King Stanilas

Student Life

We've Got Spirit!!!

No hats in the building!

Pillow Polo Fun

Hey, Nice Plaid!

8th Grade Dinner Dance

Winter Semi-Formal

The King and Queen!

Smile girls!

Senior girls rule

A toast!

Prom 1997

Graduation 1997

Dr. Stuart, the keynote speaker

WE ARE ONE

All of our lives are one big journey,
a journey to a place we've never been before.

All of our dreams are one big dream,
a vision of life searching for more.

We came here as strangers, now we leave as friends.
The circle is completed as a new life begins.
I can see with your eyes now, hear with your ears.
I danced in your laughter and died in your tears.

There is no end without a beginning.
No path of life that cannot be chosen.
The key is the truth and the hope that we live in,
Your heart holds mine in a chain unbroken -
Day by day stone by stone
We move a little closer on our way home.
We cross a bridge an endless journey,
a leap of faith
always hoping our hearts burning.

The years have passed now and we are on the verge -
of remembering the old in an unspoken word.
So I will see you sometime again - I'll call you by name,
I'll call you my friend.

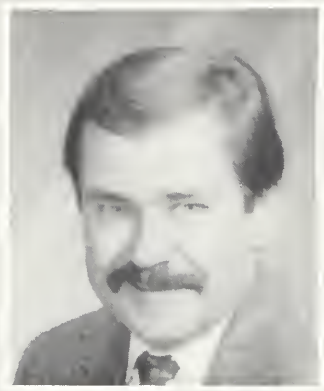
And so we must sail now to our distant lands.
East and West - North and South.
We are One.
We are the pillars standing forever,
Holding the temple of life together.

Stephen G. Evangelista

Faculty

Favorite Memories of the Class of 1998 from MHS Faculty

*Watching Seth, Brett and Lee play soccer -Mrs. Burt
*Cliffie and the books outside the Supt's Office -Mrs. Burt
*Ian not dropping Jessica -Mrs. Burt
*"It's Veal to Me" with Doherthy -Mrs. Vicksell
*Awesome A in the pit -Mrs. Vicksell
*Fishing with Noah and Dave -Mrs.Vicksell
*7th Grade F-Block Football -Mr. Kaneb
*Sarah's "debating skills" in U.S. History -Mrs. Schrock
*8th Grade "Intro to Technology -Mr. Meltz
*Watching the class mature and grow -Mr.Murphy
*BU Mathematics Field Day -Mr. Heil
*Over one-hundred debate trips with the most active class in MHS debate history -Mr. Averill
*Appears to be a class that could debate just about any question! -Mrs. Bottger
*The Day the Algebra II Class did its homework -Mr. Congdon
*All the moments the light dawned -Mrs. Wansong
*A great field trip to the Aquarium with Oceanography, once we were on a bus that could actually make it -Mrs. Everett
*Observing the tremendous growth in students' fluency during Grades 10 and 11 -Dr. Stuart
*Introduction to Cliffie and Evan -Mrs. Cook
*Pam's Bowl-A-Thon -Mrs. Cook
*The great youth challenge classes in grade 8 -Mr. Ananian
*July 25, 1980! -Mrs. Mentus
*Chocorua and Camp Alford in 5th grade -Mrs. Mentus
*When Tenny bought a case of Lion Bars in France and got all of us addicted for life - Thanks Tenny -Mrs. Petelle



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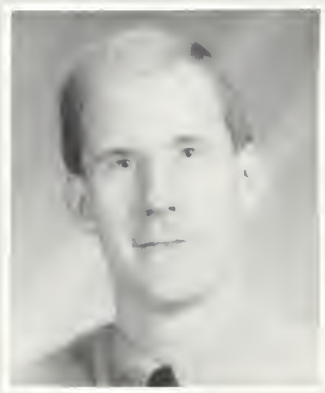

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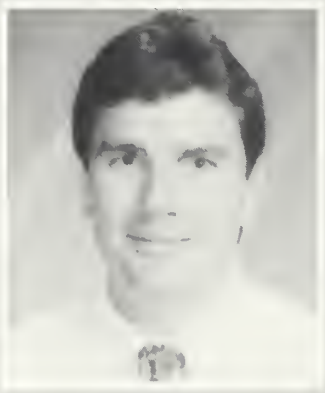

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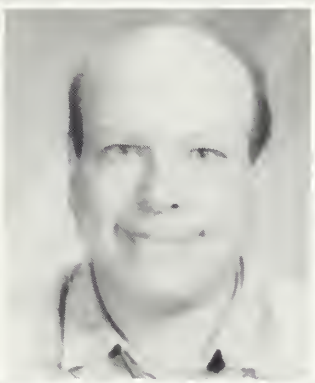

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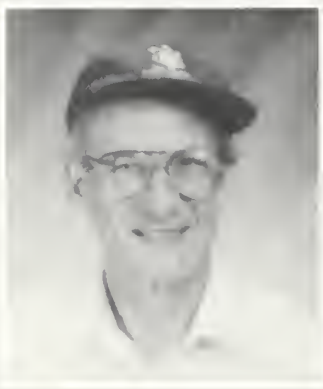

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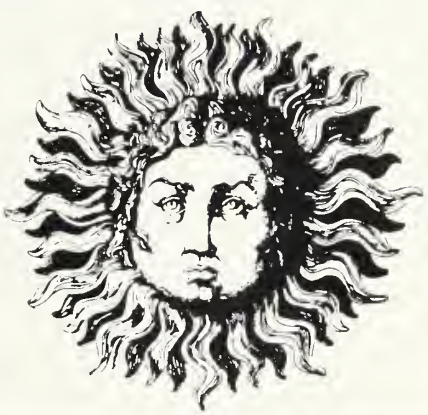


Boys Tennis

1997 Boys Tennis Team: Back Row (L-R) Mikey Moylan, Ted Davenport, Alex Burgess, Brett Fairbanks, Chris Kelly, Darren Becker, Caleb Silsby, Tim Ledbetter, Jeff Miller, Sean Bresnehan, Coach Jeanne Snow. Front Row (L-R) Mike Delacy, Matt Pinstien, Justin McCabe, John Capello, Ben Grayden, Derek Weld, Eric Conrad.

Girls Tennis

1997 Girls Tennis Team: Back Row (L-R) Jennie Schwartz, Katie George, Elonor Halgran, Susan Blair, Kristin Delisio, Vanessa Nelson, Katie McCabe, Katherine Purdy, Sarah Anderson, Coach Diane Butenhaggen. Front Row (L-R) Laura Rooney, Christina Zimmermann, Megan Journey, Erica Wetterlow, Meghan Routzong, Caitlin Lombardi.

Baseball

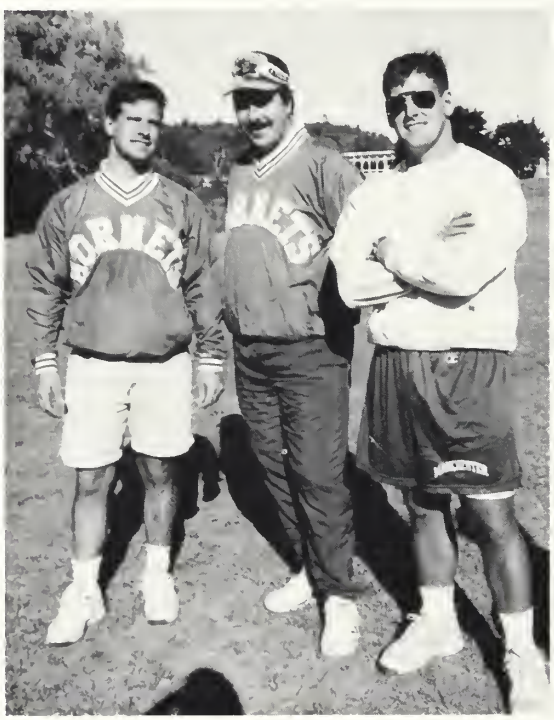
1997 Baseball Team L-R front - Adam Scott, Scott Silva, Brian Sargent, Josiah Collins, Derek Holden L-R - Back - Evan Sucarski, Josh Hamilton, Jeremy Fisher, Tim Hefforon, Nick Facrroco, Chris Murry, Tom Van Note, Nate Burt.

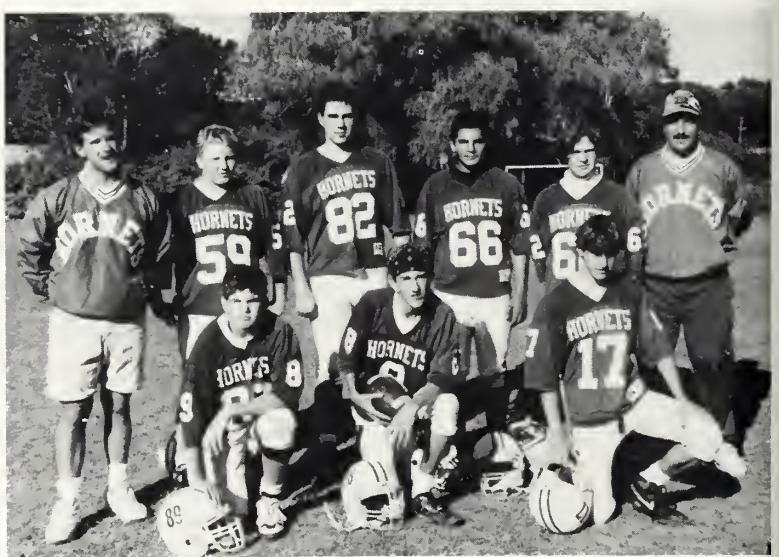
Softball

Softball Team: (L-R) Back Row: Alycia Kenney, Christine Healey, Adriana Raudzens, Rose Carrol, Sarah Buckley. Front Row: (L-R) Tiana Pastore, Pam Kiely, Carrie Chew, Karen Borsetti, Grace Henderson, Mia Peterson.

Football & Cheerleading

1st Row (L-R): Ian Pomerville, Chris McNair, Joe Fine, Andrew Kershaw, Matt Thompson, Joe Perry; 2nd Row (L-R): Max Barror, Aaron Cuilla, Josh Hamilton, Dan Williams, Jimmy Smith, Alex Burgess; 3rd Row (L-R): Chris Murray, Ben Grayden, Colin Traynor, Charlie Herrick, David Dunn, Nick Ferraco, Dan McLaughlin, 4th Row (L-R): Larry Fleming, Josiah Colins, John McDirmid, James Powers, 5th Row Joe Perry, Joe Pallazola, Jay Albert, Coach Ananian, Jeff Carter, Tom Pallazola, Coach Stephan.





Bottom Row (L-R): Margot Paige, Kacey Virden, Erin McSwieny, Ashley Sawyer, Kristen Gulbransen, Shannon Moore; Top Row (L-R): Amber Davidson, Amy MacDougall, Lindsay Harnden, Haley Deschamps, Jessica Ring, Allison Sheeran, Brianna Montgomery.

Field Hockey

Ali Demarkis, Brianna Hobbs, Tenny Mentus, Carley Cook, Colleen Doherty, Sara Anderson, Christine Healy, Heather Jones, Emily Martin, Alexandra Michael, Ashley Jones, Shawna Waitt, Adriana Rauzdens.

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Boys Soccer

Boys Varsity Soccer Team: Back Row (L-R) Mr. Gray, Josh Rausco, Adam Wilczek, Adian Lynch, Brian Sergeant, Joe Peridiso, Mike Shea, J.J. Watt, Conall O'Brien, Jay Green, Tom Van Note. Front Row (L-R) Brett Fairbanks, Nate Burt, Matt Pinstein, Ryan McGovern, Greg Campbell, Lee McLaughlin, Alex Wilczek, Jon Glass.

Girls Soccer

Girls Soccer: Back Row (L-R) Coach Pataki, Katie Marcus, Taylor Bishop, Kristin Wilson,, Sage Cole, Cecilia Kiely, Elizabeth Fiumara, Tracy Wetterlow, Meara Ryan, Kristin Brousseau, Laura Rooney, Janel Davis, Laura Pavles Front Row (L-R) Ashley Bruce, Courtenay Kelly, KC Sartwell, Pam Kiely, Elizabeth Tarr, Meredith Dozier, Grace Henderson

Boys Basketball

Boys Varsity Basketball: (L-R) Rick Peek, Greg Campbell, Chris Murray, Tom Van Note, Craig Wermuth, Brett Wermuth, Nic Ferroco, Caleb Silsby, Greg Jones, Seth Harvey, Mike Shea

Boys JV Basketball: Back Row (L-R) Justin Roy, Jay Green, Drennan, Burns, Evan O'Neill, Derek Roller, Bryan Sergeant Front Row (L-R) David Dunn, Scott Silva, Jon McInerny, Jonathan McDirmid, Chris McLeod

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Girls Basketball Team
(L-R), Alycia Kenney, Jordan Caress, Melanie Hackney, Carley Cook, Ashley Jones, Christine Healy, Tenny Mentus, Sara Anderson, K.C. Sartwell, Pam Kiely, Sarah Beaton.

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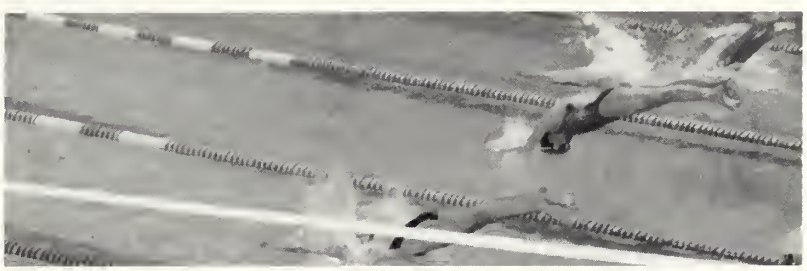
Swim Team

Back Row (L-R): Linda Porter, Mary Cook, Erin McLaughlin, Gillian McCafferty, Kara Lentz, Susie Blair, Kelly Williamson, Alex Gambino, Co-captain Joe Heffron, Caleb Lawson, Ryan Lumsden, Ali Bane, Kelley Journey, Rozzy Finn, Kelly Burgess, Anna Freedenfeild, Teresa. Front Row (L-R): Brianne Emhiser, Megann Brideau, Kendra Emhiser, Kaitlin McCafferty, Stefanie Landers, Co-captain Kim Ercolani, Patrick Lahey, Nick Zbyszynsk, Julie DeValle, Annemarie Courey, Annie Angstadt, Ruithe the bear.

Coaches: Linda Porter and Teresa

Sara Cook, Linda Porter, Kara Lentz, Kim Ercolani



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Class Officers

Senior Class Officers: (L-R) Tennyson Mentus, Carley Cook, Alexandra Michael, Andrew Kershaw.

Junior Class Officers: (L-R) Kristen Sergeant, Vanessa Nelson, Meghan Journey, A.J. Lamb.

Sophomore Class Officers: (L-R) Cecilia Kiely, Pam Kiely, Caroline Dixon, Francis McDonough.

Freshman Class Officers: (L-R) Patrick Doherty, Angus Kilgore, Brian Sergeant, Eleanor Heisey.

Student Government

Senior High Student Council: Back Row (L-R) Amanda Klien, Erin Carney, Jim Bliss, Carolyn DiSimone, Sara Anderson, Alexandra Barret. Front Row: (L-R) Greta Kenney, Kaitlin McCafferty, Breanne Quinn, Keri Gavin, Caitlin Melia

Senior High Student Council Officers: (L-R) Jim Bliss, Amanda Klien, Carolyn DiSimone, Breanne Quinn.

Jr. High Student Council: Back Row (L-R) Micheal DeLacey, Jillian McCafferty, Mary Larrabee, Melissa DiFazio, Marja Pundt, Elizabeth Gambino, Erica Randall. Front Row (L-R) Mark Farrell, Tucker McDonald, Tom Fulford, Nick Glass, Rodney Smith, Maggie Robbins.

Honor Societies

National Honor Society: Back Row (L-R) Melanie Hackney, Andrea Pavles, Sarah Halpern, Adriana Raudzens, Colleen Doherty, Andrew Kershaw. Middle Row (L-R): Jackie O'Neill, Jennifer Zimmerman, Kimberly Ercolani, Seth Harvey, Alexis Wermuth, Stefanie Landers, Mrs. Grayden. Front Row: Tennyson Mentus.

Beta Society: Back Row (L-R) Michael Shea, Cecilia Kiely, Kaitlin McCafferty, Susie Blair, Kelly Kwedor, Matthew Horowitz, Jackson Scarlet, Alex Burgess, Patrick Somers, Mrs. Grayden. Middle Row (L-R) Carrie Erwin, Pam Kiely, Mike Clement, Margot Paige, Adam Aldrich, Alexandra Barret, Marie Rossow, Meghan Journey, Vanessa Nelson, Alden Roberts. Front Row (L-R) Marcey Holland, Elaenor Halgren, Emily Martin, Caroline Dixon, Meghan Brideau, Sally Bear, Sara Anderson, Jeremy Fisher, Ashley Jones.

Manchester Scholars: Adriana Raudzens, Jennifer Zimmerman, Sarah Halpern, Tennyson Mentus, Andrew Kershaw.

Art National Honor Society, Peer-Ed, Yearbook, Newspaper

Art National Honor Society: Back Row (L-R) Sara Anderson, Chris Pine, Jim Bliss, Maria Rossow, Jack Montgomery, Colleen Doherty, Mike Clement, Katherine Rauch, Rebecca Deanes, Amy MacDougall, Alexandra Jerome, Tristen Goodall, Meghan Fraser. Middle Row (L-R) Vanessa Nelson, Elisa Addams, John Cappello, Alexandra Michael, Ellie Grose, Kelly Williamson, Meghan Brideau, Caroline Sixon, Holly Arcand, Lindsay Klien. Front Row (L-R) Ms. Serman, Andrea Palves, Jay Brancleone, Kristen Bruso, Margot Paige, Meghan Journey, Alexandra Barret, Lindsay Egan, Sally Baer, Kelly Kwedor.

Peer Educators: Back Row (L-R) Jackson Scarlet, Alex Burgess, Holly Arcand, Alexis Wermuth, Kristen Wilson, Caitlin Melia. Middle Row (L-R) A.J. Lamb, Jeremy Fisher, Sara Anderson, Margot Paige, Meghan Journey, Alexandra Barret, Sally Baer. Front Row (L-R) Keri Gavin, Alycia Kenney, Greg Jones, Carley Cook, Mrs. Crosby, Tenny Mentus, Emily Martin.

Yearbook Staff: Back Row (L-R) Alycia Kenney, Kim Ercolani, Christine Healey, Kate Logue, Breanne Quinn, Greta Kenney, Emily Martin, Holly Arcand, Tennyson Mentus. Front Row (L-R) Stefanie Landers, Keri Gavin, Carley Cook, Shawna Waitt, Kristen Wilson, Alexandra Barrett, Lauren Silverstein.

Newspaper: Back Row (L-R) Alison Lane, Kacey Virden, Sally Baer, Meghan Journey, Mrs. Buckley-Harmen. Middle Row (L-R) Laura Rooney, Kaitlin McCafferty, Ellie Grosse, Lauren Silverstein, Maria Rossow, Vanessa Nelson. Front Row (L-R) Francis McDonough, Patrick Sommers, Jeremy Fisher, Jackson Scarlet, Sarah Halpern, Julia De Ville.

Science Team, Math Team
World Culture Club, College Bowl

Science Team: Back Row (L-R) Matthew Horowitz, Alden Roberts, Margot Paige, Alexandra Jerome, Julie Kaminski. Front Row (L-R) Jeremy Fisher, Ali Demarkis, Vanessa Nelson, Alexandra Barret, Maghan Journey, Kristen Wilson.

Math Team: Back Row (L-R) Maria Rossow, Matthew Horowitz, Alden Roberts, Katherine Purdy, Alyssa Morin, John Stromier, Laura Rooney. Front Row (L-R) Adriana Raudzens, Jeremy Fisher, Pam Kiely, Vanessa Nelson, Alexandra Barret, Meghan Journey, Lindsay Egan.

World Culture Club: Back Row (L-R) Tennyson Mentus, Ellei Grose, Margot Paige, Melanie Hackney, Lindsay Egan, Ms. Franklin. Front Row (L-R) Kristen Sergeant, Kristen Bruso, Alexandra Barret, Meghan Journey.

College Bowl Team: (L-R) Matthew Horowitz, Jackson Scarlet, Carolyn DiSimone, Caitlin Melia.

Sr. High Chorus, Band, And Jazz Band

Sr. High Chorus: Back Row (L-R): Patrick Doherty, Matt Pinstein, Megan Fraser, Kristen Sergeant, Charles Scully, Lauren Silverstein, John Strohmeier, Alexis Wermouth, Mrs. Vicksell, Nelly Sweeny, William Burns, Evan O'Neil; Middle Row (L-R): Erin McSwiney, Jessie Genest, Lisa Peterson, Mia Peterson, Sandra Downey, Kristen Delisio, Laura Rooney, Alyssa Morin, Lindsey Egan, Heather Young, Pam Tracey; Bottom Row (L-R): Kim Tucker, Kelly Kwedor, Elly Grose, Alexandra Michael, Sara Anderson, Alexandra Barrett, Tennyson Mentus, Emily Martin, Emily Bornhofft, Tent Jones.

Sr. High Band: Back Row (L-R): Derek Roller, Alexandra Michael, Cecilia Kiely, Nelly Sweeny, Jon Victorine, Adam Aldrich, Jackson Scarlett, Adam Cook, Alex Burgess, Joey Heffron, Andrew Kershaw, Margot Paige, Jessie Genest, Pam Perrigo; Middle Row (L-R): Eleanor Heisey, Adriana Raudzens, Andrea Palves, Tiana Pastore, Karl Sandler, Adam Wilczek, Angus Kilgore, Ryan Heath, Desse Sheppard; Bottom Row (L-R): Caroline Dickson, Ashley Jones, Pam Kiely, Sara Buckley, Meghan Journey, Bryan Sergeant, Alex Wilczek, Ben Grayden.

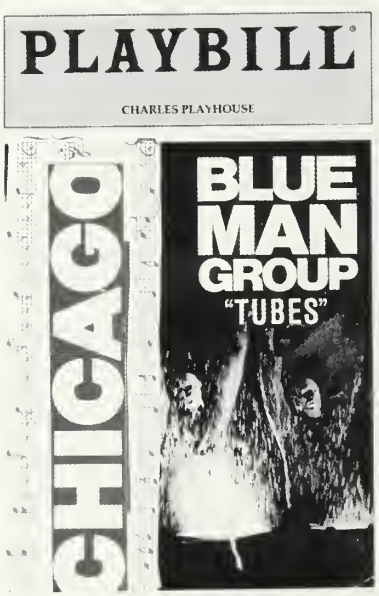
Sr. High Jazz Band: Back Row (L-R): Cecilia Kiely, Karl Sandler, Adam Wilczek, Derek Roller, Ryan Heath; Middle Row: Nelly Sweeny, Adam Aldrich, Alex Burgess, Joey Heffron, Pam Perrigo, Desse Sheppard; Bottom Row: Alexandra Michael, Adriana Raudzens, Meghan Journey, Andrew Kershaw, Alex Wilczek, Ben Grayden.

Theater

Theater: Back Row (from L-R): Elizabeth Gambino, Emily Brown, Ali Bane, Alyssa Morin, Bobby DiFazio, Kristen Brousseau, Megan Fraser, Matt Pinstein, Jack Montgomery, Ms. Gloria Tanner, Greta Kenney, Lorianne Lacey, Lindsey Milne, Allison Lane, Jessica Burt, Nathan Paige, Alex Gambino. Middle Row: Peter Shea, Dave Bazylewicz, Carrie Irwin, Cecilia Kiely, Caroline Dixon, Kaitlin McCafferty, Kristen "Gilmer" Sergeant, Maria Rossow, Maya Haverty, Melissa DiFazio, Ellie Heisey, Ellen Flatley, Mike Peart, Maggie Robbins. Bottom Row: Darcie Turbide, Gretchen Willwerth, Mo Henderson, Ellie Dixon, Greg Jones, Tenny Mentus, Alejandria Barrett, Margot Paige, Emily Martin, Lindsay Egan, Meghann Brideau, Sandra Downey, Nick Tanner.

S.A.L.S.A.: Back Row (L-R): Maureen Henderson, Lauren Silverstein, Megan Journey, Kaitlin McCafferty, Kristen Sergeant, Kelly Kwedor, Ryan Greene, Pat Doherty, David Rowe, Nelly Sweeney, Lorianne Lacey, Dave Bazylewicz. Middle Row: Megan Fraser, AJ Lamb, Alexandra Michael, Jeremy Fisher, Margot Paige, Adam Aldrich, Sara Anderson, Kristen Brousseau. Bottom Row: Ellie Dixon, Caitlin Melia, Greg Jones, Tenny Mentus, Alexandra Barrett, Maria Rossow, Emily Martin, Lindsay Egan, Vanessa Nelson.

"Nothing More, Nothing Less," MHS's 1997 entry in the Massachusetts High School Drama Festival, advanced to the Semi-Final round of competition.



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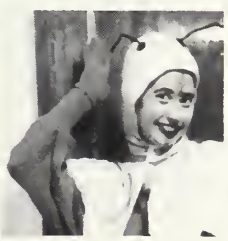

The Green Team

Marketing Management: Back Row (L-R) Bill Van Faasen, Chris McNair, Colleen Doherty, Heather Jones, Jennifer Zimmermann, Steve Polous, Kate Logue, Jill Sullivan, Lee McLaughlin, Ben Lynch, Greg Jones, Cliff Baker Middle Row (L-R) Alycia Kenney, Kim Ercolani, Keri Gavin, Shawna Waitt, Iwona Grabouwska, Georgina Teitel, Jackie O'Neill, Matt Thompson, Front Row (L-R) Christine Healy, Emily Bornhofft, Stefanie Landers, Carley Cook, Breanne Quinn, Seth Harvey, Jim Bliss, Will Wilson

Marketing: Back Row (L-R) Mike Shrewsbery, Will Shawno, Greg Campbell, Caleb Silsby, Chris Kelly, Aaron Ciulla, Rick Peek, Tom Van Note, Dan Williams, Conall O'Brien, Joe Fine, Collin McKenzie, Josh Hamilton, Alison Gavin Middle Row (L-R) Carolyn DiSimone, Jessica Ring, Maria Rossow, Alex Jerome, Lindsey Egan, Margo Paige, Ali Sheeran, Amy McDougall, Emily Martin, Alexandra Barrett, Noelle Nunley, Joe Paradiso Front Row (L-R) Lindsey Harden, Jenn Carr, Julie Kaminski, Kristin Wilson, Ali Demarkis, Ellie Gross, Lauren Silverstein, Sara Anderson, Jay Brancleone, KC Sartwell

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Varsity Debate
fl top left: Meghan Journey, Alex Burgess, Jeremy Fisher, Patrick Somers, Tenny Mentus, Adriana Kaudzens, Andrea Pavles, Tim Averill, Sarah Halpern-Meekin, Matt Horowitz. *Middle fl left:* Cecilia Kiely, Kaitlin McCafferty, Francis McDonough, Alden Roberts, Nelly Sweeney, Laura Rooney, Pam Kiely, Caroline Dixon, Alexandra Michael, Melanie Hackney. Bottom fl left: A.J. Lamb, Justin McCabe, Darren Becker, Jackson Scarlett, Vanessa Nelson, Sally Baer, Caitlin Melia, Carolyn DeSimone, Kristen Sergeant.

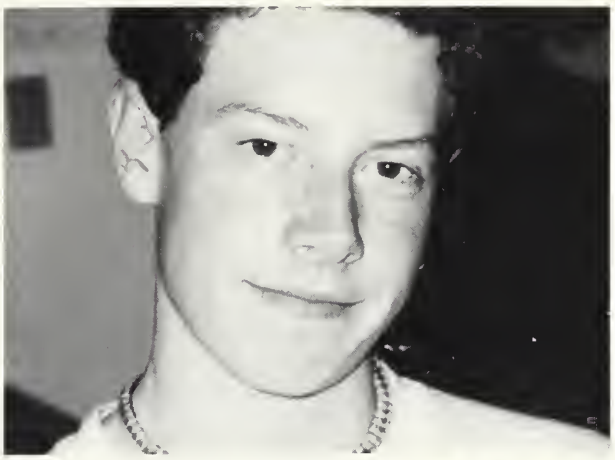
Novice Debate
Top fl left: James Powers, Derek Roller, Joe Edgerton, Julia Del Valle, Adriana Raudzens, Tim Averill, Sarah Halpern-Meekin, Matt Horowitz, Ben Comb. Middle fl left: Karl Sandler, Elly O'Beirne, Erin Weaver, Cole Ingram, Rozzy Finn, Caitlin Lombardi, Catherine Courcy. Bottom fl left: Justin Roy, Jason Szware, Gus Kilgore, Brian Sergeant, Johanna Capello, Anne Holt, Neil Shea.

Golf Club And Cross Country Club And Manchester Hockey

Golf Club: Back Row (L-R) Justin Roy, Ryan Greene, Tom Fulford, Scott Silva, Chris Brown, Joe Orlando, Kasey Sullivan, Kristen Wilson. Front Row (L-R) Nick Zbyszynski, Steve Ambrose, Brad Labee, Patrick Doherty, Ross Fisher, Nick Glass, Mike Lanigan, Ben Lucas.

Cross Country Club: Back Row (L-R) Kristen Sergeant, Sarah Halpern, Mikey Moylan. Front Row (L-R) Matt Everett, Vanessa Nelson, Julianne Levine, Mrs. Surman.

Manchester Hockey: (L-R) Josiah Collens, Josh Hamilton, Dan Williams.



A Farewell Address to the Class of 1998:

As we approach the end of our senior year, the first part of our journey in life comes to an end. We are on the brink of beginning a whole new journey.

Through the past six years we have grown as a class, going through both good times and bad. As the next stage begins,we are all headed down different paths. Those paths will bring us to many exciting times, but we will all have the same beginnings. Thanks for all the memories. Good Luck in all that you do.

Alycia + Kim

"The purpose of life, after all, is to live it, to taste experience to the utmost, to reach out eagerly and without fear for newer and richer experience."

-Eleanor Roosevelt

"And so, the long, sweet trip goes on, and this glorious social experiment continues with it. The road is wide open before us as the bus careens along toward the millennium. WELCOME TO THE REST OF OUR LIVES!"

–Grateful Dead Almanac

Desiderata

Go placidly amid the noise and the haste, and remember what peace there may be in silence. As far as possible, without surrender, be on good terms with all persons. Speak your truth quietly and clearly; and listen to others, even to the dull and ignorant; they too have their story. Avoid loud and aggressive persons; they are vexatious to the spirit. If you compare yourself with others, you may become vain or bitter, for always there will be greater and lesser persons than yourself. Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans. Keep interested in your career, however humble; it is a real possession in the changing fortunes of time. Exercise caution in your business affairs, for the world is full of trickery. But let this not blind you to what virtue there is; many persons strive for high ideals, and everywhere life is full of heroism. Be yourself. Especially do not feign affection. Neither be cynical about love; for in the face of all aridity and disenchantment, it is as perennial as the grass. Take kindly the counsel of the years, gracefully surrendering the things of youth. Nurture strength of spirit to shield you in sudden misfortune. But do not distress yourself with dark imaginings. Many fears are born of fatigue and loneliness. Beyond a wholesome discipline, be gentle with yourself. You are a child of the universe no less than the trees and the stars; you have a right to be here. And whether or not it is clear to you no doubt the universe is unfolding as it should. And whatever your labors and aspirations, in the noisy confusion of life, keep peace in your soul. With all its sham, drudgery and broken dreams, it is still a beautiful world. Be cheerful. Strive to be happy.

~Max Ehrmann

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Lean against a tree
and dream your world of dreams
Work hard at what you like to do
and try to overcome all obstacles
Laugh at your mistakes
and praise yourself for learning from them
Pick some flowers
and appreciate the beauty of nature
Say hello to strangers
and enjoy the people you know
Don't be afraid to show your emotions
laughing and crying make you feel better
Love your friends and family with your entire being
They are the most important part of your life
Feel the calmness on a quiet sunny day
and plan what you want to accomplish in life
Find a rainbow
and live your
world of dreams.

Susan Polis Schutz

OUR LOVE, PRIDE AND SUPPORT
GO WITH YOU ALWAYS
Mom, Dad, Karissa, Zeon, Bob, and Eric

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Therefore be at peace with God, whatever you conceive Him to be, and whatever your labors and your aspirations in the noisy confusion of life, keep peace with your soul. With all its shams, drudgery, and broken dreams, it is still a beautiful world.

Believe in your strengths and your goodness. Just be you and you will always rise to the occasion. With love and great pride . . . Mom, Dad and Megan.

Heather

Have a heart that never hardens,
and a temper that never tries,
and a touch that never hurts.
Charles Dickens

"The best and most beautiful
things in the world cannot be
seen or ever touched.
They must be felt with the heart."
Helen Keller

Reach high, for stars lie hidden
in your soul. Dream deep, for
every dream precedes the goal.
Vaull Starr

The scenes of childhood
are the memories of
future years.
Farmer's Almanac 1850

It is good to have an end to
journey towards ; But it is the
journey that matters, in the end.
Le Guin

Choose a job you love,
and you will never have
to work a day in your life.
Confucius

"I don't think of all the
misery, but of all the
beauty that still remains."
Anne Frank

"Never, never, never,
never give up."
Winston Churchill

As long as one keeps searching,
the answers come.
Baez

"What is REAL?" asked the Rabbit one day. "REAL" isn't how you are made, said the Skin Horse. "It's a thing that happens to you. When a child loves you for a long time, not just to play with, but REALLY loves you, than you are REAL."
The Velveteen Rabbit, Margery Williams

CONGRATULATIONS !

We love you and are very proud of you,

Mom and Dad

Greg,

One of the special joys of growing up is turning the fear of failure into the realization that you truly *can* make a difference in the world. Walking to the plate in the last inning of an all-star game, having already struck out twice. Auditioning for the lead in the junior high musical, even though everyone else in your family is tone deaf. Walking to the podium to speak, with the judges' notepads raised high. The courage to face these fears, to put your soul on the line for something you believe in, is what separates the doers from the dreamers. You have learned your lessons well, and the world awaits you.

Love
Mom and Dad

Jackie O'Neill

Dearest Jackie,

We have had the truly wonderful experience of watching you grow and blossom into a beautiful, capable and strong young woman. The most wonderful thing for us has been how we learn from you. Your diligence, perseverance, compassion, curiosity, humor and ambition inspire us. We look forward to this new beginning of yours with great anticipation and confidence. We wish you the best as you continue to forge your path in life knowing that you are a truly unique and remarkable human being.

With our deepest love, respect and admiration,

Mom & Dad

Congratulations Steff:

The past 17 years have been a pleasure. You've grown up from a sunflower into a special young lady. Your whole life is in front of you now. Explore and enjoy it. Love Mom & Dad

Dear Emily,

You work so hard and never give up. Just don't get overloaded, and call home once in a while. We are going to miss trying to track you down everyday, but know you will be up to your elbows in exciting adventures. Trust your instincts and you will be a huge success. Remember to have fun along the way. We love you and you are

AWESOME!
Love,
Mom and Dad

The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart.

Helen Keller

May you follow your heart and may it always bring you much happiness! We love ya now and always . . .

Dad, Mom, Lindsay, & Reba

ME I AM!

I am the only ME I AM
who qualifies as me;
no ME I AM has been
before,
and none will ever be.

No other ME I AM can feel
the feelings I've within;
no other ME I AM can fit
precisely in my skin.

There is no other ME I AM
who thinks the thoughts I
do;
the world contains one ME I
AM,
there is no room for two.

I am the only ME I AM
this earth shall ever see;
that ME I AM I always am
is no one else but ME!

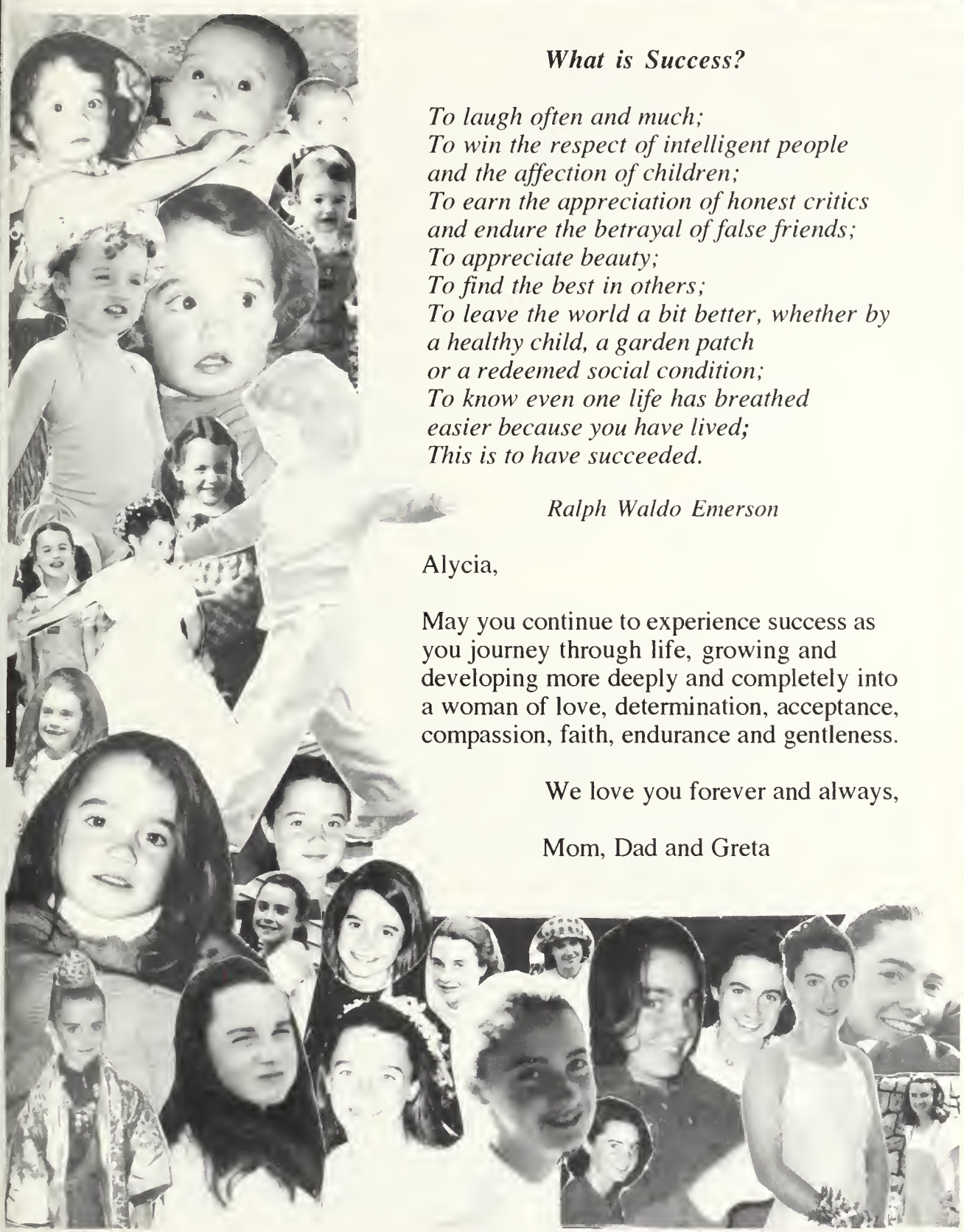
by Jack Prelutsky

Noah, we are so proud of you, so blessed because of you. Thank you for every smile and tear. Keep your eyes up and your feet on the path you have chosen.

With all our love,
Dad, Mom, and Brandon

Teen, it seems like only yesterday you came into this world. You were the perfect child; we needed only to add shelter and love. You did the rest. Now look at you! You're ready to go off, and out into this wide and wonderful world. And, we know, the world will be a better place for it! Congratulations on your graduation from MHS!!

Love, Mom, Dad, Carol, and Emily



What is Success?

To laugh often and much;
To win the respect of intelligent people
and the affection of children;
To earn the appreciation of honest critics
and endure the betrayal of false friends;
To appreciate beauty;
To find the best in others;
To leave the world a bit better, whether by
a healthy child, a garden patch
or a redeemed social condition;
To know even one life has breathed
easier because you have lived;
This is to have succeeded.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Alycia,

May you continue to experience success as you journey through life, growing and developing more deeply and completely into a woman of love, determination, acceptance, compassion, faith, endurance and gentleness.

We love you forever and always,

Mom, Dad and Greta

FREE, FREE, FREE AT LAST

You have done it Andrea, and we are so proud!
We let you go knowing and trusting
that you are prepared for whatever
life holds in store for you.

Wrap yourself in our love and step forward!

You've been packed for a long time!

WORDS OF ADVICE:

Don't Worry; Be Happy.

Love,

Your family
(kitties included)

life is a journey
stay on your path
education, your love, spirit
~ you ~
can never be taken away
CONGRATULATIONS RYAN!

we love you very much
MOTHER, KATE & SHANE

CARLEY,

"HOLD ON TO YOUR DREAMS AS THE YEARS UNFOLD. DON'T COMPROMISE THE IDEALS THAT YOU HOLD. FOR ON HISTORY'S PAGES ARE WRITTEN THE DEEDS OF THOSE WHO HELD ON TO THEIR DREAMS AND AT LAST ACHIEVED THE LOFTY GOALS WHICH THEY BELIEVED. SO BE TRUE TO YOUR SELF IN ALL THAT YOU DO, REACH FOR THE STARS AND YOUR DREAMS WILL COME TRUE."

-Amanda Bradley

WITH LOVE,

Mom, BoB, Rob + Adam

Tenny,

We have had so much fun watching you grow up.
Where did the time go, Dorothy?
May God continue to bless you.
Congratulations to you and your classmates.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad and Tam

"Do all the good you can,
By all the means you can,
In all the ways you can,
In all the places you can,
At all the times you can,
To all the people you can,
As long as ever you can."

John Wesley

Matthew 5: 13-16

BRE,
If it's wild to your own heart, protect it.
Preserve it. Love it. Fight for it, and
dedicate yourself to it...
If it's what makes your heart sing,
If it's what makes your day soar,
then focus on it. Because for sure...
If it's wild, it'll mean you're still free.-R Bass
We love you,
Mom, Dad, Erin, Aly, Zac & Luke

CONGRATULATIONS JOE!
WE LOVE YOU!
-MOM, DAD, JEN, JON,
HOLLY, MATT, MATTY
& MEREDITH.

When I look at you,
I have to smile,
As my heart bursts with pride,
Over the man you have become.

Love,
Mom

Stephanie,
Keep up all the good
work!

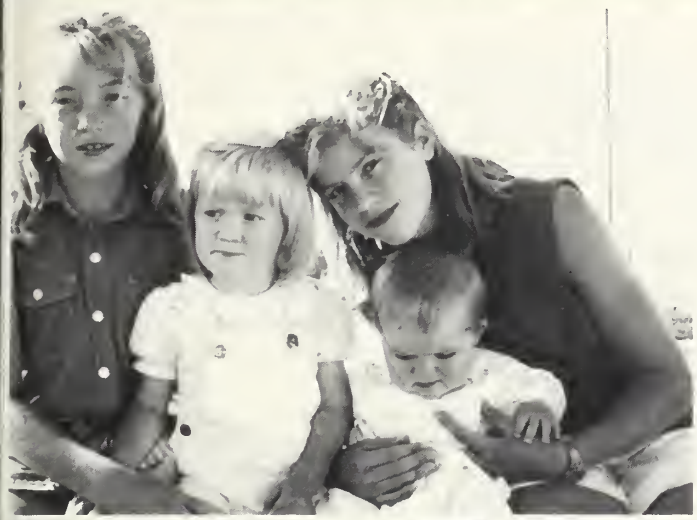
Love and Best Wishes Always
Mom, Kyle, & Bill

Congratulations Bill!!!

Dear Bill,

We are all so proud of you. You are a great son and brother. We wish you happiness and good fortune always.

We love you,
Dad, Mom, John, & Elly



Congragulations Jenny! You're finally free! Have a blast at college!
Love always,
Your Little Sister
Chrissy

Jennifer , Alskling!

"Love in any language; straight from the heart..."
Kärlek, min älskling, is just what you have always shown us so much of. We give you the best of our love in the years to come!
Grattis and Congratulations!
Mom & Dad, Victoria and Lauren

Haply I think on thee, and then my state,
Like to the lark at break of day arising
From sullen earth, sings hymns at heaven's gate;
For thy sweet love rememb'red such wealth brings
That then I scorn to change my state with kings.

We love you
Mom, Meghan, & Lauren
Ta Dah!

Dear Trent,

To have given birth to you is to forever have my heart go walking around outside my body. I'll be in the wings, your biggest fan, cheering you on . . . if not in person, always in spirit . . . wherever you go, whatever you do!

Love,
Mom

"We'll be forever loving
jah
We'll be forever loving
jah

Forever yeah
We'll be forever loving
jah
On and on and on . . ."

Bob Marley

**You sat quietly for hours in your bassinet.
Cooing and looking around.
Checking it out,
Measuring the world: quiet strength.**

**You rode the camel. You rode the elephant.
You tried guacamole.
You played the games.
You grew.**

**What's in it for you?
Where are you headed?
You know already, don't you.
We do.**

**And we're loving you.
Yeah man, we're loving you.**

Love, Dad, Mum, Josh, Hannah, Beach, Puzzle, Rumble, Possum and Cucumber

Dear Lini,

We are so very proud of our beautiful daughter. You have displayed a great amount of courage and strength in earning your high school education, second language and second culture. You are a very hard worker and will go very far in this world. We are very fortunate to have a daughter called LINI and we love you very much. Good luck in your future and remember, we will always be here for you.

Mom

Querida Hija Lini, Hay poco mas que anadir, a lo que tu madre te ha escrito, solo que estoy muy felizmente sorprendido del progreso que has hecho. Cada dia te veo con mas confianza y seguridad. Tu sola estas consiguiendo. Me gustaria poder describir lo que mi corazon siente pero como no tengo esa abilidad, te lo dire en pocas oalabras sueltas: Amor, salud, trabajo, confianza, pacienca, tenecidad, esfuerzo, alegria . . . . . todo eso lo veo en tu futuro. Se fuerte.

Que feliz soy de que seas mi hija Lini. Te quiero,

El Papa

"The purpose of life after all is to live it, to taste experience to the utmost, to reach out eagerly and without fear for newer and richer experience." -Eleanor Roosevelt

Kate,

Wherever you go, whatever you choose to do in life, we are behind you, knowing that you will succeed. We are so very proud of all your accomplishments, the girl you left behind, and the woman you have become. We love you very much.

-Mom, Dad, Maura and Ted

Congratulations Colleen!

It's been a joy watching you grow. Enjoy all that life has to offer you, and Remember, Col, we're all proud of you!

Love always, Mom and Dad Mary Kate, Patrick, & Molly

Dear Keri,

To say we are proud of you is hardly sufficient. Life is a series of trials and revelations that serve to strengthen your character. Now comes the time to take your lessons learned and apply them to the " Big Adventure ". Life. But never stop learning. It can only carry you forward, never back. We love you beyond words. Bon Voyage !

Love Dad & Holly

Pam,

Through all of lifes hard knocks you still come through as a shining star. Your smile could brighten up even the darkest day. Besides being able to tell how very proud we are of you, we want to thank you for the lessons that you have taught us. Through both laughter and tears you have helped us to know ourselves better too. We love you and are very proud to have you in our lives. Good luck !

Love Mom & Pete

Dear Pam,

All of your hard work has paid off. You have grown into such a wonderful person. I am so very proud to say that you are my granddaughter. Good Luck!

Love, Nana Forward

"HOW'S CHARACTER IS WHAT WE DO WHE
WE THINK NO ONE IS LOOKING."
P.S. WE ARE ALL HERE FOR YOU
P.P.S. WE ALL LOVE YOU!
DAD,MOM,JAMES,SANDRA,JOBY,
MICHELE,"J.J.",GRAMPS,GRAMY,
MEEMA,EVE,BRENDA

It has been said that the greatest gifts that parents can give to their children are **roots** and **wings** (and possibly enough **rope**)...

To know what is right and not to do it is the worst cowardice.
- Confucius
B.C. 551-479

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well, and doing well whatever you do, without thought of fame. If it comes at all, it will come because it is deserved, not because it is sought after.
- Longfellow
1807-1882

We hope that we have given you the values and the words to live by. We wish you every success in every thing you pursue. This is the first day of the rest of your lives . Remember fondly with us every day of life together. We love you, and we always will...

D&K and M&M

"Read not the Times. Read the Eternities. Conventionalities are at length as bad as impurities. Even the facts of science may dust the mind by their dryness, unless they are in a sense effaced each morning, or rather rendered fertile by the dews of fresh and living truth. Knowledge does not come to us by details, but in flashes of light from heaven."
Henry David Thoreau

CONGRATULATIONS GEORGINA!

We love you.
Mom and Dad

David-

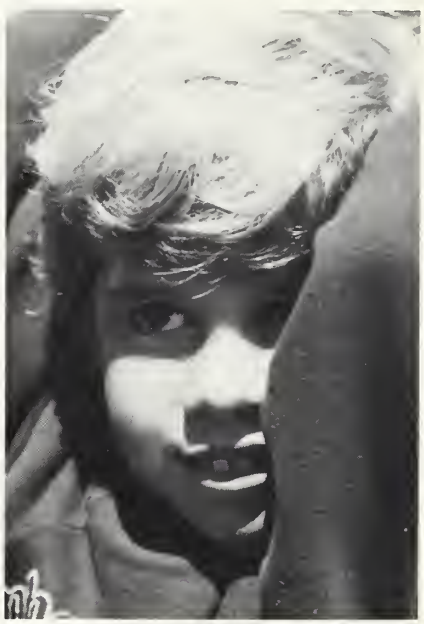
We have loved watching you grow up these past seventeen years. You are intelligent, creative, and generous; and you have everything you need to be happy and successful in life. Use your gifts wisely and we will be as proud of you in the future as we are today.

We will always be there for you.
Love,
Mom, Dad, & Chris

"Lord make me an instrument
of thy peace . . .
Where there is hatred,
let me sow love;
Where there is injury, pardon;
Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope;
Where there is darkness, light;
Where there is sadness, joy."

ST. FRANCIS

"Collin,"
Your kind and gentle heart will always
shine like a light in the world.
We are so proud of you!
"With greatest Love and Affection"
Mom, Charles and Liz



THE ROAD NOT TAKEN

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair,
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted wear;
Though as for that, the passing there
Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay
In leaves no step had trodden black.
Oh, I kept the first for another day!
Yet knowing how way leads on to way,
I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.

ROBERT FROST

Congratulations Ben! Love, Mom and Dad

Cliffie,
Feelings For A Son
Run So Deep
That They Seldom
Find Expression

Cliff, I could rave on and on about you, but space is limited!!

It seems like only yesterday that I held you in my arms for the very first time and fell in love with a little bundle of joy with "red hair". I knew at that moment I had a very special, independent little guy in my arms.

You possess such wonderful qualities. You are polite, sensitive, loyal, honest, kind, willing to help others, have a great sense of humor, endless energy, a gift of gab and love for the forests and outdoors.

Your sense of humor is unique. Your laughter and your individual way of looking at things bring a very special joy that cannot be duplicated! No matter the challenge, you always come through. You always get the job done and you never give less than your best.

You work long and hard hours and tend to push yourself too hard. "My heart aches for you at times." Your landscaping business is a product of your commitment to hard work. You should be very proud of your accomplishment. I know we are!

At the age of 12-13 how hard you worked to buy your very own "Kawaski Dirt Bike". Your commitment to make a payment each week no matter how small or large won you the respect of all at Cycles 128. You handled the bike like a pro and you were fearless. How you loved that bike . . . your pride and joy . . . only to have it stolen! All our hearts ached for you.

You were too young and small to caddy, but you managed to get hired. I can still hear Pat and Kenny laughing when describing the scene. "The bag almost as big and weighing more than you". Watching you and that bag slowly going up the hill, but oh how fast you came down . . . a sight to see!! You won everyones respect and you never quit!! You finished the summer out.

Playing ice hockey "goalie" with Todd and the big guys, no matter how many times you got pounded by the puck, you never complained or quit. "SMALL, BUT MIGHTY".

Playing pewee football, no matter how big the opponent, all 70 pounds of you would go after him. Sometimes more than once and succeed in bringing them down (most of the time). It was great fun watching you. Remember the game with the workboots?

It has been a joy watching you grow into the fine young man of today. It is very hard to believe you are graduating from high school. It hasn't sunk in yet! With all you have going for you, I believe that all your goals and dreams will come true. Cliff, you can't miss. You deserve all the success and happiness in the world! You are one of a kind and a much loved son! I don't think you realize how much.

Love you always, Mumbo,

Love and congratulations too from Dad, Pat, Karla, Kenny, Laura, Stephanie (pumpkin) and Jonathan (Tiger).

We never know how high we are
'Til we are called to rise;
And then, if we are true to plan,
Our statures touch the skies.
-Emily Dickinson

We wish you boundless energy, many smiles, grit and "inventity"
as you greet your life's challenges and pleasures.
Love always,
Mom, Dad, Craig, & Brett (Tucker too)

Congratulations Alexandra!

Your smile has brightened our lives since the day you were born. We are very proud of you and the young woman you have become. We wish you health, happiness, love, and success wherever you go. We love you - today and forever.

Mom and Dad

Jill Sullivan

A friend remarks to the Prophet, "Why is it I get messed up in business deals?
It's like a spell.
I become distracted by business talk and make wrong decisions."

Mohammed replies, "Stipulate with every transaction
that you need three days to make sure."

Deliberation is one of the qualities of God.
Throw a dog a bit of something.
He sniffs to see if he wants it.

Be that careful.
Sniff with your wisdom-nose.
Get clear. Then decide.

-Coleman Barks

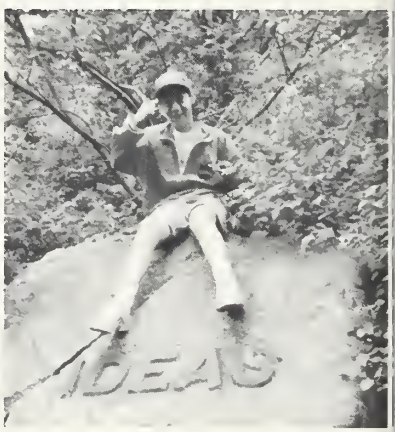
We love you and wish you a lifetime of good decisions.
Mom & Dad & Maura

Congratulations Frigglesnip!!!

That's a long way for a Frigglesnip to go!!

What is a Frigglesnip anyway?

We Love You!



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Keri,

On October 8th 1980, God blessed us with the most wonderful gift, that gift was you. You were so tiny- but yet so feisty and full of life- some things never change. Over the course of the years we have seen you evolve from that warm and fuzzy caterpillar you once were to a beautiful butterfly with bright, vibrant colors. You have taken all your life experiences, some of which have been complicated and others have been full of joy, and combined them with the compassion, understanding, wisdom, and love you carry in your heart. These are your tools for life. We thank you for your laughter, your smile, your tears, and your heart that you have shared with us. Just remember you are forever in all of our hearts.

We love you!!

Mom, Scott, Freddie, Kelly, & Stevie

Good fortune and much
success await you, Ryan.
All the Best!!
Bob, Mike, Tom, Steve, & Norm

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Stephen,
Special thanks for being understanding and cooperative for the past six years. You are a kind, thoughtful, hardworking person. We know your future plans will be fulfilled.
We love you
Dad & Mom

Dear Emma,
I know that you are wondering what your father would think of you if he were alive today. He would be:
Charmed by your amazing grace,
The smile that's always on your face,
Your gleeful laugh
And head held high,
The warmth and love you have inside.

He and I are SO PROUD OF YOU!
Love,
Mom

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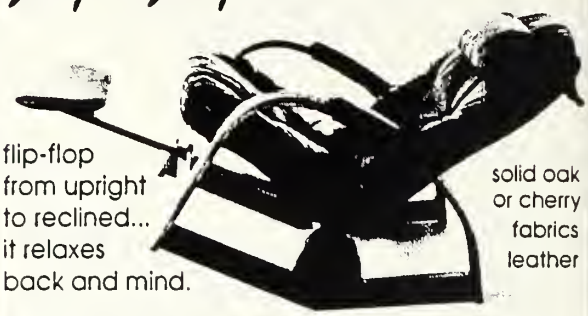

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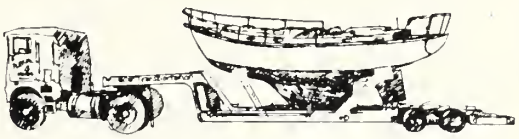

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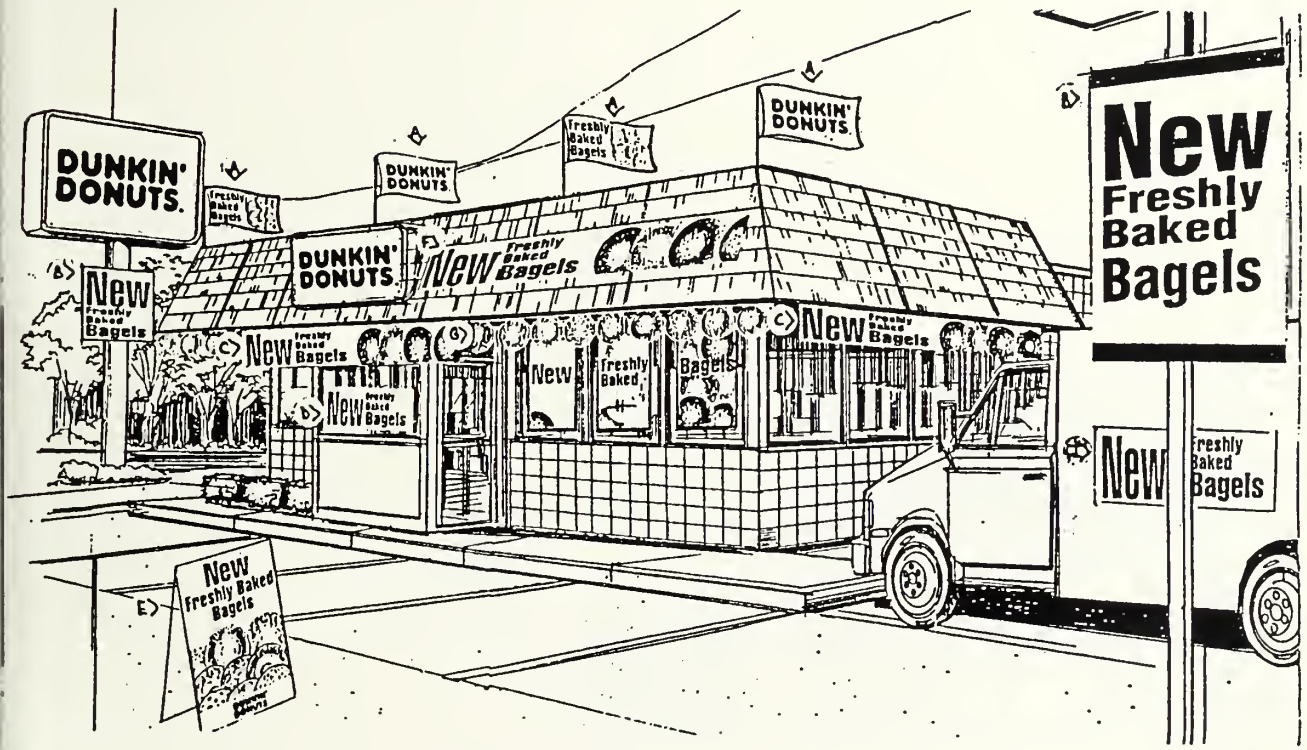

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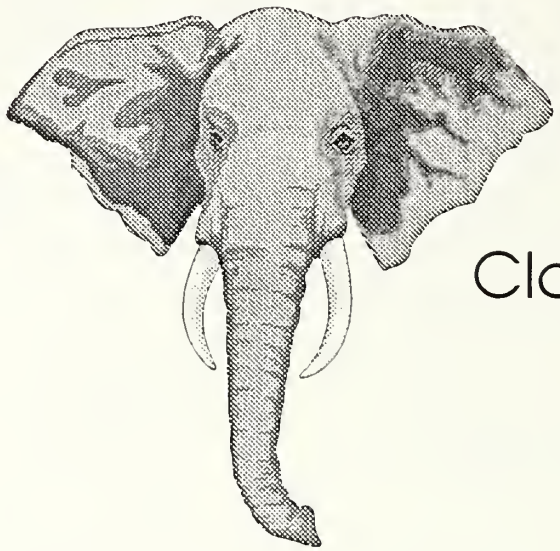

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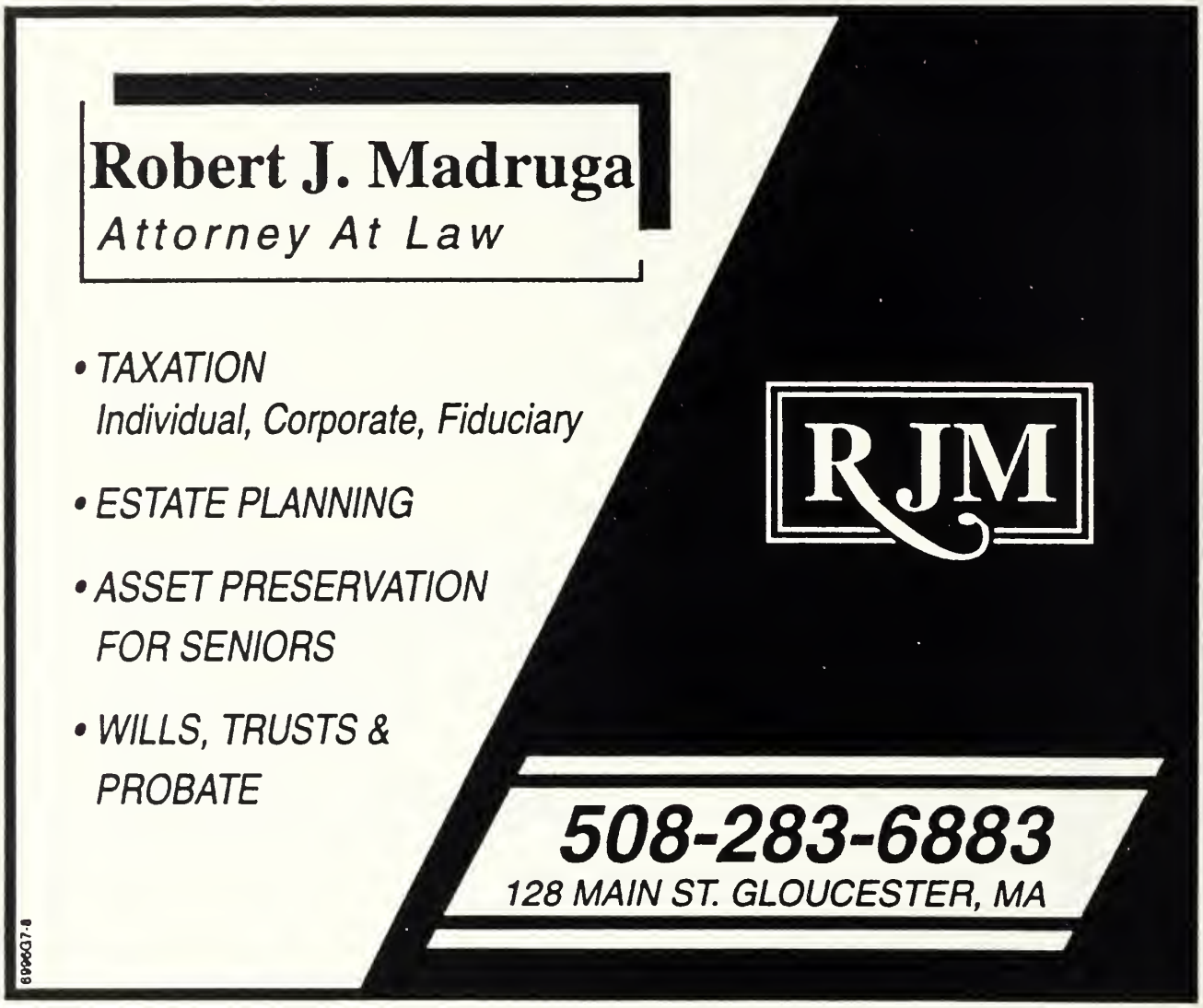
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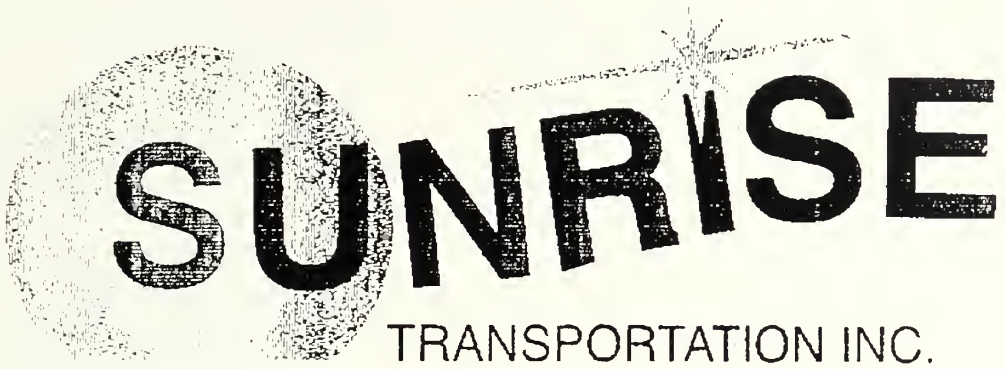

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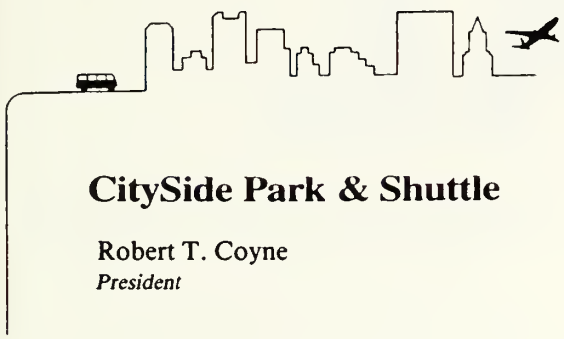

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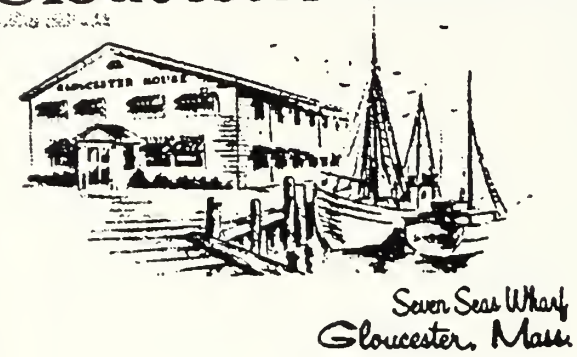

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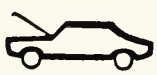

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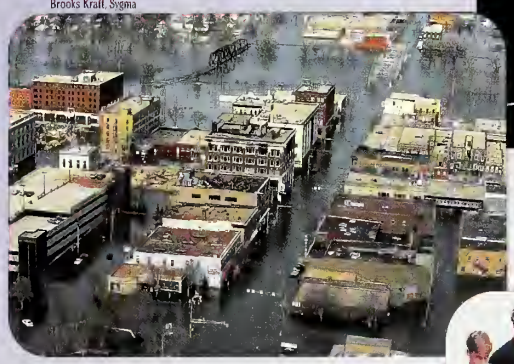

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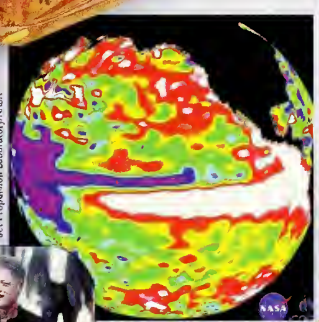

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Asian economic turmoil triggers global unrest. In October, Hong Kong's stock market crashes. Asian countries receive billions in bailout dollars from the International Monetary Fund.

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Hong Kong reverts to China at 12:01 a.m., July 1, after 156 years of British colonial rule. China says Hong Kong will continue its Western way of life and free-market economy.

A 15-day school strike in Ontario, Canada, affects 2.1 million students. Late in October, 128,000 teachers walk out to protest a controversial bill that would alter educational funding and centralize government control of education.

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Powerful earthquakes in central Italy kill 11 people and damage art treasures, including centuries-old frescoes by Italian Renaissance painters, in the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.

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Change sweeps Great Britain as Labor Party leader Tony Blair's landslide election in May 1997 ousts the Conservatives and makes Blair, at 44, Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.

Hurricane Pauline slams into Mexico's Pacific coast in October, causing flash floods, landslides and at least 200 fatalities. The resort city of Acapulco is heavily damaged.

The remains of Ernesto "Che" Guevara, martyred Marxist revolutionary, are laid to rest in Cuba in October, 30 years after his execution in Bolivia, where his bones recently had been found.

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After 32 years of autocratic rule, President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire is deposed in May 1997 and later dies in exile. His successor, Laurent Kabila, changes Zaire's name to Democratic Republic of the Congo.

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Halloween fever seizes France. At the base of the Eiffel Tower in Paris 8,000 pumpkins are displayed, and French children participate in an American-style Halloween celebration.

President Jiang Zemin of China meets for summit talks with President Bill Clinton in October, the first visit in 12 years of a Chinese leader to the U.S. During his stay, demonstrators protest China's treatment of Tibet.

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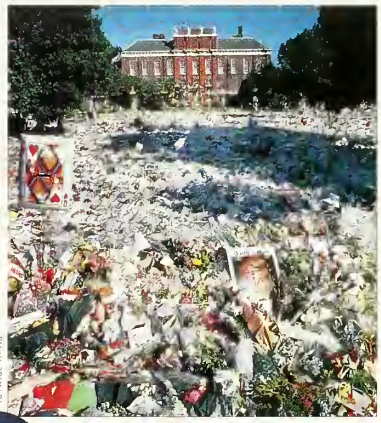
Diana, Princess of Wales, one of the world's most famous and admired women, dies at 36 in a violent car crash in Paris on August 31.

The death of "the people's princess" generates an emotional outpouring of love and grief, evidenced by floral tributes heaped at Diana's Kensington Palace home.



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At the funeral, Elton John performs "Candle in the Wind 1997," rewritten in tribute to Diana. The recording quickly sells more than 35 million copies, becoming the best-selling single of all time. Sales proceeds benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.

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One of the most poignant images of Diana's funeral: her young sons following her coffin into Westminster Abbey.

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Crisis flares again in Iraq in late 1997 as Saddam Hussein protests U.N. sanctions and blocks inspection of suspected Iraqi weapon sites.

flash

Floods, drought and mismanagement in North Korea create a severe famine. As many as a million North Koreans die of starvation.

Pope John Paul II visits Communist Cuba in January 1998, the first time a pope has done so. During his five-day visit the pope celebrates public masses and meets privately with President Fidel Castro.

AP/Wide World

In June, shortly before Diana's death, an auction of 79 of her evening gowns raises $3.26 million for AIDS and cancer charities. Top price paid for a single gown: $222,500.

National news

Brooks Kraft, Sygma

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On July 23 suspected murderer Andrew Cunanan, 27, commits suicide in Miami Beach. Cunanan was the prime suspect in a cross-country killing spree that left five dead, including fashion designer Gianni Versace.

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In April 1997, floods ravage the entire Red River Valley between Minnesota and the Dakotas. Ninety percent of downtown Grand Forks, North Dakota, is under water.

Once-mighty Apple Computer is close to failure when arch-rival Bill Gates of Microsoft "rescues" it with a $150 million bail-out in August. The event opens a new era of cooperation between formerly fierce competitors.

Jonathan Elderfield, Gamma/Liaison

Joe Camel is snuffed out as the Federal Trade Commission bans tobacco advertising aimed at minors and institutes sweeping tobacco advertising restrictions.

AP Wide World

Americans join "Stop the Violence" campaigns nationwide in an attempt to generate awareness of and solutions to the problem of violence in America.

flash

Theodore Kaczynski admits he is the Unabomber responsible for killing 3 people and injuring 29 others in an 18-year bombing campaign. His January 1998 guilty plea spares Kaczynski the death penalty but condemns him to life in prison with no possibility of release.

UPS workers take to the picket lines in an August strike lasting 15 days. The eventual settlement is seen as a major labor victory.

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British nanny Louise Woodward, 19, is convicted in Massachusetts of murdering a child in her care. The judge later reduces the charge to involuntary manslaughter and releases her.

AP/Wide World

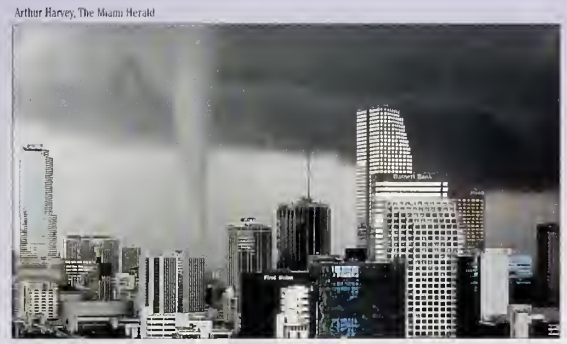
Timothy McVeigh is convicted of murder and conspiracy in June for the April 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. McVeigh is later sentenced to death.

Patrick Hagerty, Sygma

First Lt. Kelly Flinn accepts a general discharge from the Air Force, avoiding court-martial for lying about an affair and disobeying orders. Flinn had been the first and only female B-52 pilot in the service.

A rare urban tornado prowls through Miami on May 12, uprooting trees, shattering windows and snapping power lines. Fortunately, the storm inflicts only minor injuries.

Arthur Harvey, The Miami Herald



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Attorney General Janet Reno refuses to name an independent prosecutor to investigate Clinton administration fundraising, causing friction with FBI Director Louis Freeh.

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Bobbi McCaughey, Carlisle, Iowa, gives birth November 19 to seven babies, the U.S.'s first living septuplets. McCaughey and her husband Kenny now have eight children.

Terry Nichols is found guilty of conspiracy and manslaughter in the 1995 Oklahoma City bombing. Nichols is spared a federal death sentence in January 1998, but still faces Oklahoma state charges.

UFO enthusiasts gather in Roswell, New Mexico, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the alleged UFO crash there in July 1947.

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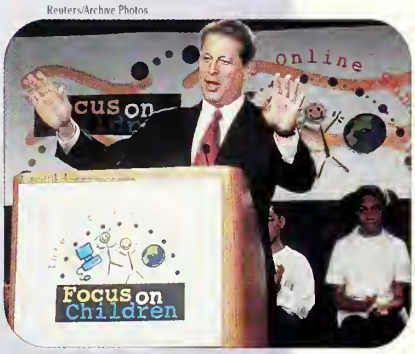

At the Internet/Online Summit in December, Vice President Al Gore announces government initiatives to protect young Internet users from online pornography.

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Fast-food giant Burger King is forced to stop serving burgers when supplier Hudson Foods recalls 25 million pounds of hamburger suspected of contamination with *E. coli* bacteria. It is the biggest beef recall in U.S. history.

flash

The all-male Promise Keepers movement inspires praise and controversy for its message of spiritual revival and personal responsibility for men. In October, the group holds a giant rally in Washington, D.C.

Once-secret tape recordings of former presidents Kennedy and Nixon are released publicly. The tapes provide an unvarnished, and sometimes unflattering, glimpse into the two presidents' actions and conversations in the White House.

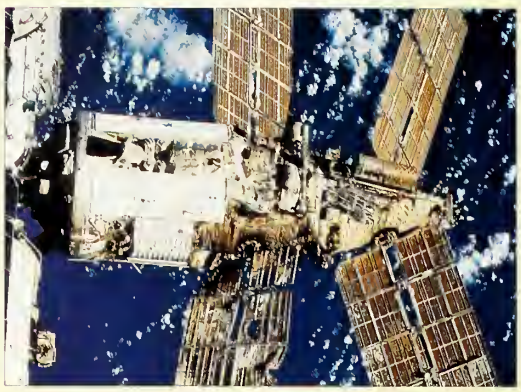
AP/Wide World

On October 25, at least 300,000 African-American women gather in Philadelphia for the Million Woman March. Winnie Madikizela-Mandela is one of the speakers.

Science news

NASA

Russia's aging *Mir* space station collides with an unmanned supply vehicle in June and is seriously damaged. This is only one in a series of crises casting doubt on the viability of the station.



NASA

Viewers worldwide see the first-ever high-resolution color pictures of Mars when the *Pathfinder* spacecraft lands July 4. The lander and its rover, Sojourner, collect and transmit extraordinary data for three months.

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For $8.36 million, Chicago's Field Museum of Natural History buys "Sue," the most complete *Tyrannosaurus rex* fossil yet discovered. The sale occurs October 4 at Sotheby's in New York.

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Scottish scientists in February 1997 announce the world's first cloning of an adult mammal. The sheep, named Dolly, fuels controversy over possible misuse of the technology.

Reuters/Archive Photos

In September, CAT scans of petrified dinosaur eggs found in China reveal a dinosaur embryo.

flash

Fuel cells that convert a fuel's energy directly into electricity are being developed for use in cars, making possible an efficient, low-emission car of the future.

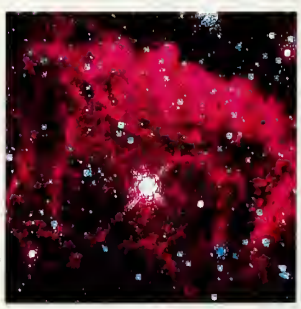
The first prescription pill for male-pattern baldness is approved by the Food and Drug Administration in December. The drug Propecia is made by Merck and Company.

Ted Horowitz—The Stock Market

Research produces medical breakthroughs, including a genetically engineered "bullet" molecule being tested to fight cancer and new drugs to control or prevent Parkinson's disease, osteoporosis and congestive heart failure.

Matt Meadows

The popular diet regimen fen-phen is pulled off the market in September. The combination of fenfluramine and phentermine is shown to cause heart valve disorders, as is the diet drug Redux, also recalled.



Don F. Figer (UCLA), and NASA

Aided by the Hubble Space Telescope, astronomers discover the Pistol Star—the brightest star yet observed in the Milky Way. The Pistol Star is 25,000 light years from Earth.

Comet Hale-Bopp captures imaginations worldwide as it streaks past Earth for the first time in 4,200 years—or, since 2203 B.C. Hale-Bopp next returns in 4397.

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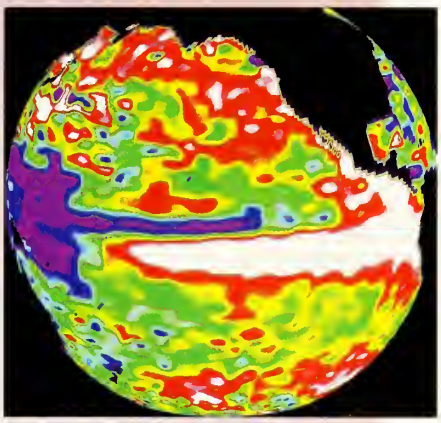

Jet Propulsion Laboratory/NASA

On October 13, the British jet car *Thrust SSC* becomes the first vehicle to break the sound barrier on land, traveling 766.6 miles per hour in the Nevada desert.

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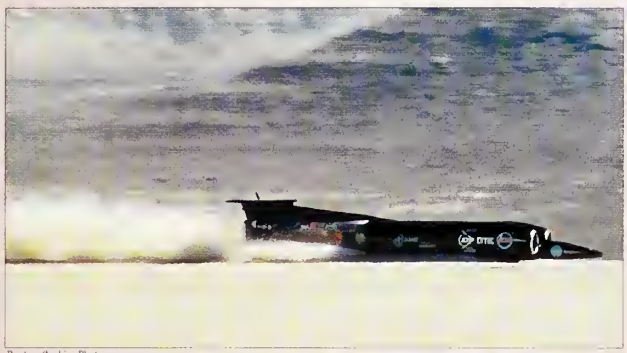

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El Niño stirs up global weather patterns. Caused by warmer-than-normal water temperatures in the equatorial Pacific, the '97 El Niño is blamed for storms and weather problems worldwide.

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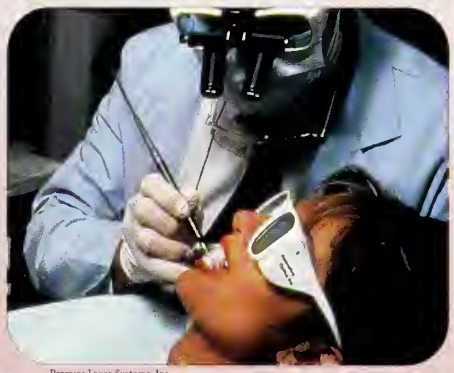
Protesters unsuccessfully attempt to prevent the October launch of NASA's *Cassini* spacecraft to Saturn, fearing an accident could shower the Earth with the rocket's radioactive plutonium.

In December, 159 nations gather in Kyoto, Japan, and negotiate a climate treaty to combat global warming by reducing greenhouse gases.

The Food and Drug Administration approves a dental laser for treating cavities. Unlike traditional dental drills, the laser in most cases causes virtually no discomfort.



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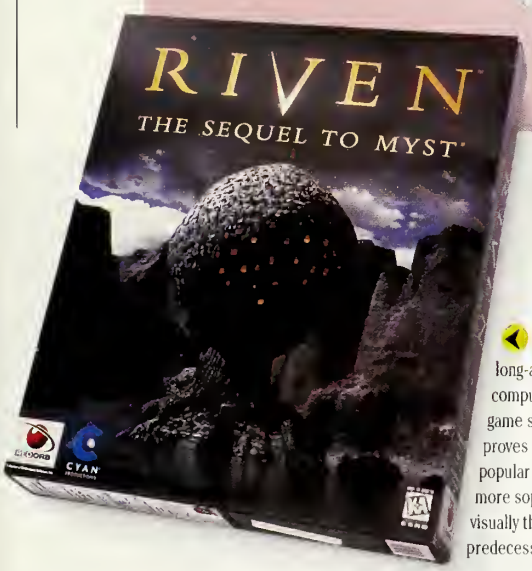

Riven, the long-awaited computer adventure game sequel to Myst, proves to be just as popular and even more sophisticated visually than its predecessor.

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Hong Kong authorities in December order the slaughter of more than a million chickens in an effort to halt the spread of a bird flu virus that killed six people.

The space shuttle *Columbia* releases the errant *Spartan* satellite in November. U.S. astronaut Winston Scott and Takao Doi, the first Japanese astronaut to do a space walk, retrieve the satellite for return to Earth.

Reuters/Archive Photos

French oceanographer and award-winning filmmaker Jacques Cousteau dies in June at 87. His work gained renown through the popular television series "The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau."

Lifestyle news

Teen People
first issue!
Celeb Couples Share Their Love Secrets
win a new CAR!
His & Hers Horoscopes
The scary new twist on eating disorders
Party of Five's Jennifer Love Hewitt is at the top—and loving it
real teens, real style
CD STAR CRAZY: Puff Daddy, Spice Girls, Missy Elliott, Hanson, Aaliyah, Scream 2's Jerry O'Connell and more

Teen People, a savvy monthly magazine for and about teenagers, premieres in February 1998.

AP/Wide World

Fashion advertising and clothing trends inspire the popularity of the color orange, which replaces neon green as the fad color of the year.

AP/Wide World

In October, a cyberfashion show at the M.I.T. Media Lab Wearable Symposium features fashions with built-in computer devices and electronic hardware. M.I.T. students designed the high-tech fashions.

Princess Diana tribute merchandise abounds, including a double CD set and a new Beanie Baby named Princess, a royal purple bear adorned with a rose. Profits benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.

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Fashion looks to the Far East. The stick-on bindi, a tiny decorative accent worn in the middle of the forehead, is popularized by Gwen Stefani, lead singer of the band No Doubt.

Christian Dior

This year's look in cosmetics is glimmering, sparkling and colorful. Riding this wave, cosmetics giant Christian Dior introduces Mascara Flash, temporary hair color in a variety of outrageous tints.

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Platform shoes, a fashion statement during the disco '70s, make a style comeback in a big way in 1997, inspiring even platform sneakers.

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Nike introduces a new "I Can" advertising campaign on New Year's Day. The company does not plan to abandon its "Just Do It" slogan, introduced in 1985, which will continue to appear on T-shirts and posters.

Diet Scent Patches are introduced in June by Slimline, a British company. Designed to help people diet successfully, the small arm stickers produce an unpleasant odor to discourage the wearer from eating sweets.

AP/Wide World

"Two Fat Ladies" becomes the Food Network's hottest new cooking show in the U.S., attracting fans with its unconventional British stars, two overweight, middle-aged women.

The Chevrolet Corvette is named *Motor Trend* magazine's 1998 Car of the Year.

General Motors

After nearly 40 years, Mattel's Barbie doll takes on a more realistic face and body shape than the Barbie of the '60s. The new doll will begin to appear in stores in early 1998.

AP/Wide World

Mattel introduces Share a Smile Becky in May 1997. Seated in a bright pink wheelchair, the doll is marketed as a friend to the traditional Barbie.

A new $50 bill featuring a larger, off-center portrait of President Ulysses S. Grant is unveiled in October. Design details make the bill more difficult to forge.

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Karl Steinbrenner

Mehndi, intricate designs painted on the body with henna dye, is a popular expression of the fashion trend toward Eastern themes and patterns.

Digital "pets" are a 1997 toy craze. These virtual critters keep their owners busy by beeping when they need care or feeding. If ignored, they "die."

Popular board games appear on CD-ROM in ever-growing numbers, including interactive favorites Monopoly, Scrabble, Sorry, Risk and Boggle.

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As many as 700 school districts nationwide teach "emotional intelligence," aiming to develop children's values and people skills as well as their minds.

Beepers are a status symbol and a lifestyle must-have for many teens juggling school, jobs and after-school activities. More than 40 million beepers are carried in the U.S., an estimated 25 percent of them by people between the ages of 12 and 24. In some schools, beepers are forbidden as disruptive.

Canada issues a Superhero postage stamp series that includes a 45-cent stamp featuring the colorful, comic-book image of Superman.

Entertainment news

AP/Wide World

Comedian Chris Farley dies at 33 of a drug overdose on December 18. He starred in NBC's "Saturday Night Live" and movies including *Tommy Boy* and *Beverly Hills Ninja*.

ABC's gritty police drama "NYPD Blue" remains one of the most popular one-hour dramas on television in 1997, capturing four Emmy Awards.

The Lost World, Steven Spielberg's *Jurassic Park* sequel, breaks summer box-office records everywhere. It earns $229 million in the U.S.

Universal Studios, Inc., from Shooting Star

Columbia/Mandalay from the Kobal Collection

Horror films draw teenagers to the box office. *I Know What You Did Last Summer*, starring Jennifer Love Hewitt and Sarah Michelle Gellar, is one of the year's biggest attractions.

Gino Mifsud, Shooting Star

Jerry Seinfeld, creator and star of the NBC hit "Seinfeld," announces in December that the 1997-1998 season is the show's last. The final episode airs in May, ending the popular show's nine-year run.

flash

In its second season, the WB's campy sitcom "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" blossoms into a huge favorite with many viewers.

Jenny McCarthy stars in a new fall NBC comedy "Jenny" that, in January 1998, goes into hiatus only a few months into its first season. McCarthy had been an MTV personality before moving to the network.

Fox network launches "King of the Hill," an animated show that focuses on the lives of a propane dealer from Texas and his family. The show goes on to become a smash hit.

Scream 2, the chilling hit sequel to *Scream*, is a wildly successful mix of carnage and comedy starring Neve Campbell, Jerry O'Connell, Tori Spelling, Jada Pinkett and a host of other stars.

Dreamworks Pictures from Shooting Star

Critically acclaimed *Amistad*, directed by Steven Spielberg, tells the story of an 1839 slave ship mutiny. The film culminates years of effort by producer Debbie Allen to bring the story to life.

Religion is a common theme on eight fall-season network TV shows inspired by the success of CBS's "Touched by an Angel" starring Roma Downey, Della Reese and John Dye. New programs include ABC's "Nothing Sacred" and "Teen Angel."

CBS Entertainment from Shooting Star

AP/Wide World

Titanic is a huge critical and box-office success. The movie event of the year, this $200 million picture is the most costly in history. After 45 days in the theaters, *Titanic* had earned $308 million.

Fox/Paramount from Shooting Star

Star Wars captures a new generation of fans when George Lucas re-releases the film trilogy 20 years after the first film was shown. In Washington, D.C., the National Air and Space Museum mounts a huge exhibition of now-historic *Star Wars* artifacts.

AP/Wide World

Michael Flatley's pulsating show "Lord of the Dance" fuels the extraordinary popularity of Irish dance. The show tours 15 cities in the U.S. through October.

In the fall, Fox debuts "Ally McBeal," a comedy/drama starring Calista Flockhart as a young Boston attorney. The show captures a Golden Globe Award in January 1998 for best series/musical or comedy.

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Paramount from Shooting Star

Matt Damon stars as an attorney in *The Rainmaker*, a movie based on the John Grisham novel. Damon's successes also include the film *Good Will Hunting*.

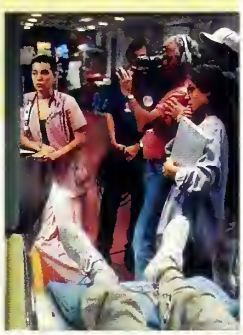
Columbia Tristar from Shooting Star

Summer blockbuster *Men in Black* grosses more than $500 million worldwide to become 1997's biggest hit. The sci-fi comedy stars Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones.

flash

The Wonderful World of Disney **presents its adaptation of "Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella" on ABC, starring Brandy as Cinderella and Whitney Houston as the Fairy Godmother.**

Tomorrow Never Dies **, starring Pierce Brosnan as 007, is a holiday box-office hit and confirms the enduring popularity of James Bond movies.**



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The 1997 season premiere episode of "ER" is broadcast live and draws 42.7 million viewers for NBC, including those who watch it on a giant screen in Times Square.

Music News

AP/Wide World

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Chumbawamba's hit single "Tubthumping" brings long-awaited success to this British band. The song becomes popular at pro sports events, kicking off games for several teams.

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Rap artist the Notorious B.I.G. is killed in a March 1997 drive-by shooting in Los Angeles. He is posthumously awarded MTV's 1997 Best Rap Video Award for "Hypnotize" and is named *Spin* magazine's Artist of the Year.

Fiona Apple, 20, one of rock's female superstars, is named MTV's Best New Artist in a Video. Her single "Criminal" soars to the top of the charts.

Jay Blakesberg, Retna

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With their hit single "MMMBop," three young brothers from Tulsa become one of the biggest breakthrough acts of 1997 as the band Hanson.

Lilith Fair, an all-female summer rock concert, draws large crowds on its 37-stop tour. Canadian singer-songwriter Sarah McLachlan masterminds the festival and releases a hit album, *Surfacing*.

flash

Drummer Bill Berry leaves R.E.M. after 17 years with the popular rock group. R.E.M. plans to continue as a trio.

Kenny G. enters the *Guinness Book of World Records* for holding the longest musical note—45 minutes, 47 seconds—on his saxophone.

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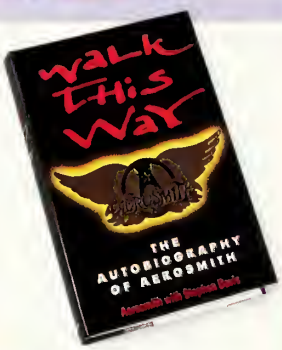
Country music superstar Garth Brooks releases *Sevens*, his first album in two years. The album sells 800,000 copies the first week.



Walk This Way: The Autobiography of Aerosmith chronicles the long career of the band notorious for its excesses in the '70s and '80s. The group's new album *Nine Lives* is nominated for a 1998 Grammy.

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Smash Mouth popularizes a genre of alternative rock known as neo-ska with its hit single "Walkin' on the Sun" and debut album *Fush Yu Mang*.

British pop phenomenon, the Spice Girls, makes millions with mega-hits such as "Wannabe" and sells 14 million albums and 10 million singles.

Ron Davis, Shooting Star

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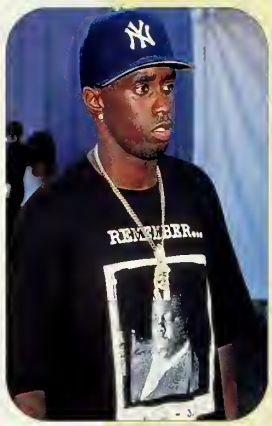
Adam Yauch of the Beastie Boys engineers the second Tibetan Freedom Concert, held in June in New York, offering 27 music acts and a free-Tibet political message.



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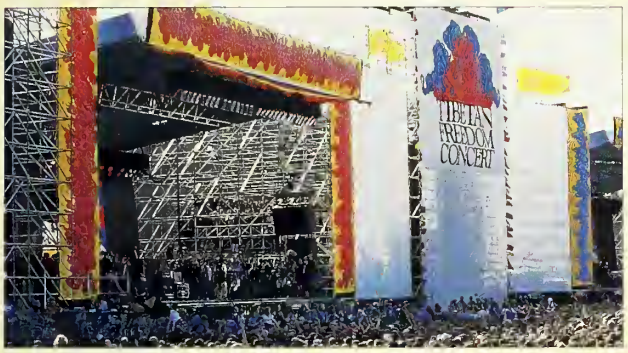
The album *No Way Out* by Puff Daddy & the Family goes multiplatinum. Puffy's single "I'll Be Missing You," an elegy to his friend the Notorious B.I.G., also tops the charts.



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Third Eye Blind, after several years in San Francisco's underground music scene, goes big time in 1997. Their song "Semi-Charmed Life" is listed as the top-selling modern rock single for 1997 in *Billboard* magazine.

Sixteen-year-old R&B phenom Jonny Lang opens for the Rolling Stones' fall tour and spends 16 weeks at No. 1 on *Billboard*'s blues chart with his album *Lie to Me*.

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At 15, country music sensation LeAnn Rimes sells more than 12.5 million recordings in the U.S. in 1997 and is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Year. Her single "How Do I Live" is one of the year's best sellers.

Kenneth "Babyface" Edmonds, superstar producer songwriter singer, receives more 1998 Grammy nominations than any other artist, including one for his album *The Day*. Edmonds and wife Tracey also produce the film *Soul Food* in 1997.

flash

Metallica releases a seventh album, *Re-Load*, that confirms its position as the premier heavy-metal band in the music world.

Radiohead is *Spin* magazine's Band of the Year. Critics praise Radiohead's album *OK Computer*, variously described as haunting, revolting, inscrutable, stunning and gorgeous. The album receives a 1998 Grammy nomination for Rock/Pop Album of the Year.

Sports news

AP/Wide World

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In July, 16-year-old Swiss tennis star Martina Hingis becomes the youngest Wimbledon champion since 1887. Hingis wins three of the four 1997 Grand Slam events.

AP/Wide World

The Florida Marlins are baseball's 1997 World Series champs and the first team ever to win the Series without winning its league pennant. The Marlins defeat the Cleveland Indians in seven games.

Quarterback John Elway leads the Denver Broncos to a 31-24 victory over the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl XXXII in San Diego, January 25, 1998. It is Elway's first Super Bowl win in four appearances.

AP/Wide World

Mike Tyson bites off part of Evander Holyfield's ear and is disqualified in the WBA Heavyweight rematch in June 1997. Tyson is fined nearly $3 million and his boxing license is revoked.

Reuters/Archive Photos

Tiger Woods, 21, becomes the youngest golfer ever to win the Masters Tournament. His 18-under-par score sets a Masters record. Woods wins 3 other tournaments and sets a PGA Tour earnings record of $2.1 million for the season.

AP/Wide World

Pittsburgh Penguins' Mario Lemieux retires in April 1997 after a spectacular comeback from Hodgkin's disease and injury. Lemieux is elected to the Hockey Hall of Fame in September.

In April 1997, the premier issue of *Sports Illustrated Women* hits the newsstands. The magazine reflects the explosive growth of female participation in sports.

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Swedish golfing phenomenon Annika Sorenstam, 26, tops the LPGA earnings list in 1997 with a record $1,236,789.

Professional sports salaries keep skyrocketing. One of the most publicized of 1997 is Kevin Garnett's $126 million contract to play basketball for the Minnesota Timberwolves.

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Charles Woodson, Michigan's versatile junior cornerback, becomes the first primarily defensive player to win the Heisman Trophy, awarded in December.

Jeff Gordon, at 26, wins the 1997 NASCAR Winston Cup, his second Winston Cup point title in three years. Gordon's 1997 points total 4,710.

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Nagano, Japan, hosts the 1998 Winter Olympic Games during February. Three new medal sports make their Olympic debut: curling, snowboarding and women's ice hockey.

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Detroit Red Wings captain Steve Yzerman powers his team to the 1997 Stanley Cup championship, its first in 42 years, by sweeping the Philadelphia Flyers in four games.

Scott Cunningham, NBA/Allsport

The Chicago Bulls beat the Utah Jazz in June 1997 for their fifth NBA championship in seven years. Michael Jordan is chosen Finals MVP a record fifth time.

When the college football season ends, two teams share the national championship. Michigan (12-0) is named No. 1 by the sports writers' poll, and Nebraska (13-0) by the coaches' poll.

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In its debut season, the WNBA exceeds all league expectations for success. The Houston Comets' championship win over the New York Liberty caps the 1997 season.

AP/Wide World

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Women officiate in an all-male professional sports league for the first time. The pioneers, Dee Kanter and Violet Palmer, are referees in the NBA.

Mark McGwire, of the St. Louis Cardinals, slams 52 homers in 1996 and 58 in 1997. McGwire becomes only the second player in baseball history with back-to-back, 50-home-run seasons, the other being Babe Ruth.

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Dean Smith, winningest coach in college basketball history, retires in October after 36 seasons at North Carolina. *Sports Illustrated* names him 1997 Sportsman of the Year.

Faces news

Shooting Star

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Miss Illinois, Katherine Shindle, is crowned Miss America 1998. For the first time in its 77-year history the pageant allows contestants to wear two-piece swimsuits in competition.

Reuters/Archive Photos

Chelsea Clinton begins her freshman year at Stanford University in Palo Alto, California. Despite security measures, she reportedly will lead as normal a college life as possible.

Beloved actor Jimmy Stewart dies in July at 89. Stewart's enduring nice-guy popularity is exemplified by *It's a Wonderful Life*, his 1946 movie that is now an American cultural icon.

J.T. MacMillan, San Diego Union-Trib

Reuters/Archive Photos

For the first time, a computer beats a world chess champion when IBM's Deep Blue beats Russian Garry Kasparov in a six-game match in May 1997.

Roman Catholic nun Mother Teresa of Calcutt dies September 5 at the age of 87. Revered for a lifetime of helping the poorest of the poor, her many honors include the 1979 Nobe Peace Prize.

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American Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines are awarded the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize in October. The U.S. and China refuse to sign an international treaty that would ban land mines.

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Ted Turner, vice chairman of the Time Warner media empire, pledges $1 billion to United Nations programs. It is the largest single gift in philanthropic history.

flash

Former leader of the Soviet Union Mikhail Gorbachev films a TV commercial for Pizza Hut. He reportedly earns $1 million for the appearance, money he plans to use to benefit his Gorbachev Foundation.

Singer John Denver dies in October at 53 when the experimental plane he is piloting crashes into California's Monterey Bay.

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Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, appears in ads as a spokesperson for Weight Watchers International. She is the former wife of England Prince Andrew.

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